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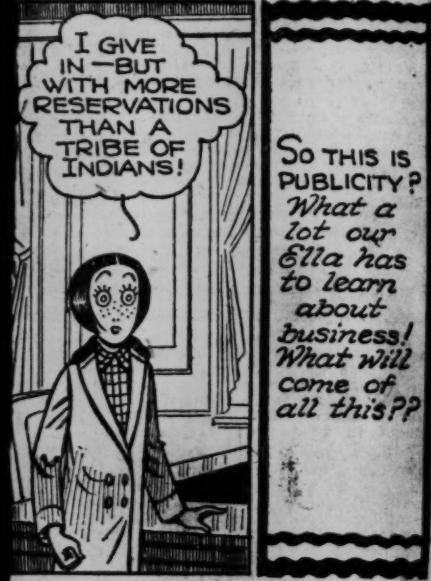
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BASEBALL WORLD IS MYSTIFIED BY HORNSBY TRADE

President of Giants Says Deal Was Made to End Talk Former Cardinal Would Displace McGraw.

SECOND BASEMAN DENIES AMBITION

Never Had a Word of Controversy, but Likes to Work for New York Leader, He Asserts.

FAIR TONIGHT AND TOMORROW WITH MODERATE TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURE

1 a. m. 51 10 a. m. 48
2 a. m. 50 11 a. m. 49
3 a. m. 49 12 noon 48
4 a. m. 48 1 p. m. 47
5 a. m. 48 2 p. m. 46
6 a. m. 46 3 p. m. 46
7 a. m. 46 4 p. m. 46
Yesterday's high, 60 4 p. m.; low, 40

(5 a. m.)

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow; moderate temperature; the lowest tonight will be above freezing.

Missouri: Fair tonight and tomorrow; moderate temperature.

Illinois: Fair tonight and tomorrow; moderate temperature.

Sunset 4:58. Sunrise (tomorrow), 7:20.

Stage of the Mississippi, 18.5 feet, a fall of 3.3.

DRIVER OF CAR IN FATAL ACCIDENT GETS 90 DAYS

Frank Kovich Sentenced for Careless Driving; Faces Trial for Manslaughter.

Frank Kovich, proprietor of a saloon at 3701 Chouteau avenue, whose automobile fatally injured John E. Buser, 71 years old, of the Park boulevard last July 18, was sentenced to 90 days in the house and fined \$500 by Probate Judge Roseman today on a charge of careless driving based on the fatality, Kovich appealed.

He has been at liberty under \$500 bond and will be tried for manslaughter Tuesday in Circuit Judge Killorin's court. The Police Court case had been continued six times for the City because of difficulty in locating witnesses.

Three men who had been in a filling station at Chouteau avenue and Twenty-first street when Buser was injured testified he was attempting to board a street car when struck. Buser died two months later from his injuries.

By J. ROY STOCKTON, Of the Post-Dispatch Sports Staff.

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No Betting Angle, He Says.

There can be no horse-race betting angle to this. I have not been to a horse race track for a year, but McGraw would not object if I wanted to go, because he likes the racing game himself. I never underlined or tried to undermine McGraw and Stoneham says I did him a favor, would like to go to bat with Stoneham, with McGraw present, to prove whether there ever was any discord between McGraw and myself and whether anything ever happened that he could point out as evidence that I was causing discord or trying to undermine McGraw.

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MRS. SNYDER AND GRAY UNAWARE OF CLEMENCY DENIAL

Neither Has Been Told Governor Declined Stay but Both 'Sense It,' Warden Says.

EXECUTION TO TAKE PLACE TOMORROW

Smith States He Searched in Vain for Legal Cause to Grant Mercy to Condemned Woman.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Rogers Hornsby was traded to the Boston Braves "in order" to avoid any future conflict in the management of the club and for no other reason," Charles A. Stoneham, president of the New York Giants, said today. "Statements have been made throughout the country that Mr. Hornsby would be the future manager of the club," he said. "I have never been consulted regarding this and have had no conference about the selection of a manager as Mr. McGraw still retains the management of the New York Giants."

"We feel that we have done what is best, looking toward the future welfare of the organization."

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To Be Electrocuted Tomorrow Night



MRS. RUTH BROWN SNYDER.

ELEANOR SIMMONS

WEDS C. J. KOEHLER

Veiled Prophet Queen of 1921 Married Unexpectedly—Guests Summoned by Phone

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—The presentation return, by a Federal grand jury charging Harry F. Sinclair, Burns and five associates with conspiracy to commit justice was upheld today by Justice Frederick L. Sodden in the Supreme Court of the district.

The presentation was returned without an indictment after the grand jury had investigated the Fall-Sinclair oil jury surveillance by Burns detectives hired by Sinclair.

Justice Sodden declined to expunge it from the record, as demanded by the attorneys of Burns and Sinclair.

The execution of this judgment on the indictment is still待定. That I had hoped the appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States would be denied.

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CARIBBEAN FLIGHT PLANS ANNOUNCED BY COL. LINDBERGH

Aviator Will Fly to Venezuela, Virgin Islands, Porto Rico, Haiti and Santo Domingo.

GUEST OF AMERICANS LIVING IN CANAL ZONE

Flyer Visits Balboa After Stay at Panama City — Greeted by School Children.

By the Associated Press.
PANAMA, Jan. 11.—Col. Lindbergh announced this afternoon that he would fly to Venezuela, Saint Thomas (one of the Virgin Islands), Porto Rico, Haiti and Santo Domingo. The date of his departure and the sequence of the flights are uncertain. In Venezuela he will land as close as possible to Caracas.

By the Associated Press.
BALBOA, Canal Zone, Jan. 11.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh today became the guest of 22,000 Americans in the canal zone, visiting the city of Balboa after his stay at Panama City, where he landed Monday from San Jose, Costa Rica.

On leaving the United States Legion, Lindbergh called on the acting Governor of the Zone, Col. Harry Burgess, who gave him a warm welcome. He was then presented to the school children of Balboa.

"Sometimes dreams do come true," said Col. Burgess, "and this is once, children of Balboa's schools, that yours have come true."

The children cheered and sang, and the aviator waved his hat and smiled.

A drive around the Pacific side of the zone came next, with a visit to Ancon Hospital, where Senora Guillermo Garcia de Paredes, daughter of President Chiriqui, became the mother of a son Monday, the day of Lindbergh's arrival. The boy has been named Rodolfo Ramon Lindbergh Garcia de Paredes, and the good-will Ambassador accepted this as a great compliment.

Next he reviewed the "Rainbow Gait," the drill team and famous red, white and blue troupe of zone children swimmers. From there he went to Fort Amador, saw the troops in review and inspected the fortified islands, where monster guns are concealed ready to protect the canal. He was the luncheon guest of the commandant of the Fifteenth Naval District, Rear Admiral H. H. Chouteau.

With cheering and cheering, American tourists and masses of tourists hastened on Lindbergh the same eager affection which prevailed in the many Central American capitals which he has visited. They were eager to show him the beauties and wonders of the zone, 11 miles wide and 47 miles long, between the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and New York World.
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PANAMA, Jan. 11.—President Rodolfo Chiriqui and Vice President Tomas Gabriel Duque of Panama took airplane ride of 19 minutes with Col. Charles A. Lindbergh yesterday. Before this Lindbergh did stunts in an army plane.

The flyer spent the morning visiting the monument to Bolivar, the ruins of old Panama and other sights. Then he visited Lindbergh Field to check up on the Wright motor representative from the United States who is conditioning the "Spirit of St. Louis."

He dined with the President and other officials at the country residence of Natale Ehrman, three miles from Panama. Lindbergh made a speech saying:

"I appreciate all that you have done for me and shall be most pleased if this trip tends to improve communications, understanding and relations between Panama and the United States."

During the day Lindbergh received various gifts, including a miniature airplane of native hard woods and a miniature portrait of his mother, Mrs. Evangelina L. Lindbergh, framed in Panama pearls.

Lindbergh Presented With Golden Eagle From Grave of Indian Chief.

By the Associated Press.
PANAMA, Jan. 11.—A golden eagle dug from the grave of an Indian chief in the Andes was the tallisman given to Col. Lindbergh at a farewell banquet by the Pan American Reception Committee. The eagle is of solid gold and of primitive design, weighing 312 grains. It was dug from a grave in the Chiriqui Mountains. The tail and wings of the eagle are spread and its talons clenched.

If the present is added to the collection of Lindbergh gifts in St. Louis it will surpass the loves of primitive Indian art. Another novel gift for the collection was a Panama hat, rarely seen outside this region. It was concealed in a box fashioned to look like a hook, on which was a wooden globe tracing the flyer's route. The present was from Masons of Panama.

Film Actress Weds Heir to Wealth



—International Photo.

PATTY DU PONT and Sylvanus Stokes Jr. met on "location" when he was playing extra roles for the fun of it. His former wife obtained a divorce and the custody of their children in Paris in 1926. He recently placed orders for a new yacht patterned on the lines of U. S. S. Constitution, in which he will sail around the world.

Hearst Let Down Gently In Report on Forgeries

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for to verify these documents and he did not do so."

This was the strongest language that Reed used against Hearst during the entire colloquy.

"Was there any real effort to check these documents?" Norris continued.

"Oh, yes," Reed answered.

"The record shows that they were taken to the American Embassy, where some one glanced at them and said, 'They look all right to me.'

"I have read the record carefully," Norris observed, "and I have been unable to find anything that Hearst ever did to verify them."

Telegrams Not Checked.

Norris also touched a sensitive point when he asked Reed whether the committee had made any attempt to have the officials of the telegraph company testify as to the genuineness of the documents that had passed between Hearst and Page and Avila and the Hearst editors.

In addition to reviewing briefly some of the evidence, the committee had a voluntary gesture of an effort to assist the committee. It is now divulged that he was merely corroborating, for his own satisfaction, a fact which the committee had already obtained from other sources, and of which he had been confidentially informed by someone on the committee.

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It mentions the fake "code" telegrams, the errors of grammar and punctuation, and that the telegraph company records showed there had been no transfers of money from Mexico to the United States such as the telegram purported to show. The telegraph company record which passed between the Mexican Government and its New York Consulate is reported to be perfectly innocent, and a scrutiny of the Consulate's bank accounts of the Committee's bank accounts similarly failed to reveal anything sinister.

Lax Search for Forgers.

The report does not state, however, why the committee failed to submit the telegraphic correspondence which passed between Hearst and Miguel Avila.

John Page, a friend between Hearst and Miguel Avila, the under cover man who furnished the documents to Page. It makes very plain that the committee went to vigorous lengths in searching the Mexicans for evidence which might corroborate Hearst's documents, but makes very little effort was made to discover who forged them or whether Hearst had knowledge of it.

On the floor of the Senate, Reed of Pennsylvania, with deliberate and obvious caution, refrained from uttering any condemnation of Hearst and his principal newspaper supporter was a Hearst paper.

Norris Asks Questions.

Reed attempted to place all the blame on Avila and Page, and he incidentally mentioned Hearst.

When he had finished a prosaic recital of the evidence he was asked to task by Senator Norris that the Hearst system of newspapers constituted the sewer system of American journalism.

The committee was appointed by Vice President Dawes. It has been noted previously that of the five Senators who compose it four are from cities where there are Hearst newspapers and three are candidates for reelection next year. The fourth was re-elected last year after a campaign in which his principal newspaper supporter was a Hearst paper.

The only member of the five who does not live in a city where a Hearst paper is published is Senator Robinson of Arkansas, the Democratic leader. The other members are David Reed (Rep.), Pennsylvania; Jones (Rep.), Washington; Johnson (Rep.), California, and Bruce (Dem.), Maryland.

SPANISH TRAWLERS ATTACKED

GIBRALTAR, Jan. 11.—Almost

in the shadow of the great

trawlers yesterday the Spanish

trawlers San Antonio was attacked by 50 Spanish fishing boats.

The attackers numbered about 300 and were armed with pistols, knives and clubs. They boarded the trawler, looted the vessel and cut the nets.

Another trawler was treated in a similar manner; their boats were run aground at Amatara, where the Spanish coast guard was driven off. Later the trawlers were released and taken to Gibraltar.

Communist Meeting Saturday.

The Young Workers' Communist

League, an organization of young

men and women between the ages

of 17 and 22, will hold an anti-war

demonstration at 8 o'clock next

Saturday evening at the St. Louis

Turner Hall, 1508 Chouteau avenue.

The meeting will be a protest

against the sending of American

Marines to Nicaragua. Minnie

Lurye, 18-year-old communist or-

ganizer of Chicago, will speak.

ACCIDENT VICTIM IN MINE EXPLOSION IN WHICH 21 DIED

Coroner's Inquest Fails to Discover the Cause of Monday's Disaster at West Frankfort, Ill.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WEST FRANKFORT, Ill., Jan. 11.—A verdict of accident was returned by a Coroner's jury last night after an inquest into the death of 21 miners who were killed in an explosion at the Industrial Coal Mine No. 18, Monday. The cause of the explosion has not been determined.

In an attempt to fix responsibility, mine officers, examiners and survivors were questioned but none was able to explain the sudden accumulation of gas in the area in which the explosion occurred, nor the failure of the ventilating system to prevent a further accumulation of gas.

John W. Miller, mine examiner, testified that he had made an inspection of the damaged entry about 15 minutes before the explosion and found no gas. He said that three of the rooms along the entry, known as "Fourteen North," where the explosion occurred, were "gassy," but well ventilated and not unsafe. He said that Fred Burnett, mine superintendent, had recently reproached him and other examiners for marking the mine as safe, which report men later found no gas, but said that Burnett had told them he wanted to conform with all State regulations and to "keep themselves in the clear."

"All Precautions Taken."

Samuel Whyte, a safety inspector, said that all possible precautions had been taken in the damaged area. He said that about three weeks ago he had found a considerable amount of gas in the rooms in the damaged section, and had removed it. The gas seeped through the coal in this room, he said. Whyte told of aiding in the rescue work and of staying for three hours in a room to guard a disabled miner and two bodies found there.

Oscar Duprest, a miner working several hundred yards beyond the explosion, told the Coroner's jury that he, with another man, fought off a number of miners who had gashed to an air course through which they were able to crawl to a place of safety. They found the air course blocked by falls in many places, one spot being almost impassable. The air course was 12 feet by 6 feet in dimensions, but so much debris had fallen that Duprest, a small man, was forced to crawl, he declared, to get through in places.

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James C. Unplanned.

Fred Burnett, mine superintendent, testified that all passages were clear, and added that neither he nor the state mine inspectors had reached any conclusion as to the cause of the explosion except that gas had been ignited. He said that a cutting machine, fire believed to have struck the spark that exploded the gas, was found shut down, indicating it had not been in operation at the time of the explosion.

Witnesses were questioned by A. C. Lusk, chief counsel of the United Miners' Union of America, and by State's Attorney Martin.

One of the miners overhauled by gas while engaged in rescue work is in a critical condition at a local hospital. Physicians held slight hope for his recovery.

The body of John Mitchell, 39 years old, one of the victims of the explosion, was taken to his home, 715 Winstanley avenue, East St. Louis, yesterday for burial.

Work was resumed at the mine this morning.

Widow of James Todd, Editor, Dies

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MARYVILLE, Mo., Jan. 11.—

Mrs. Anna A. Todd, widow of

James Todd, for 33 years editor

and publisher of the Nodaway

Democrat, died today at her home

here of paralysis and heart trouble. Mrs. Todd was born in Huntley County, Pa., Dec. 16, 1849. James Todd, a son, is editor of the Maryville Democrat-Forum and Tribune.

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19 YALE STUDENTS HELD FOR MIXING IN LABOR DISPUTE

Seven of Divinity School Among Those Taken for Distributing Pamphlets on Neckwear Industry.

By the Associated Press.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 11.—Arrested for distributing handbills relating to a labor dispute, 19 Yale students will go to court Jan. 21. The American Civil Liberties Union had retained counsel for them and both sides today obtained postponement of the hearing in City Court.

The students, seven of whom were members of the Divinity School, were arrested last night while passing out pamphlets to the general public concerning conditions in the neckwear industry. The pamphlets were headed: "Is

the Neckwear Industry Safe?"

Yale students have been aiding efforts to unionize neckwear makers, but the pamphlets gave both sides of the matter, without directly urging unionization. A city ordinance forbids distribution of handbills.

Two New York firms, Stern & Merritt, and Berkman & Adler, have sold their plants to New Haven last September when they found the terms of the union workers' contract in New York disagreeable.

Yale Club's Aid Sought.

REED WILL ADDRESS JACKSON DAY DINNER

Smith Followers Favor Central City for Democratic National Convention.

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HURLS HIS CHAIR FROM PLATFORM

Evangelist Declares Every Bootlegger and Gunman in City Is Against His Campaign.

"Billy" Sunday last night made an unchurchly list of people who do not like revivals. Then he challenged church people to get on the list.

"Against this revival," he said, "you will find every black-legged number, every dope peddler, every bootlegger, every madame of the night, every gunman; you will find the God-forsaken hobo and every riff-raff, plug-ugly, rag-shag and bobtail of society that feeds and fattens and gormandizes upon the virtues, the manhood and the womanhood of others.

"Think twice if the church wants to line up with a dirty dirty list like that."

About 6200 persons attended last night's services and 3000 yesterday afternoon's, the second day of the seven-week revival which begins Sunday at the Coliseum. Monday is the day of rest for Sunday and its staff.

Except for Gov. Smith, most of the other potential and actual candidates for the nomination who will be on hand there include Evans Woods of Indiana, Gov. Hatchie of Maryland, Senator Walsh of Montana, Senator Robison of Arkansas, and Senator George of Georgia, who was indorsed last night at a dinner of Georgia Democrats here. A harrowing gathering was predicted by most leaders, who expressed the view that much of the bitterness engendered at the 1924 Madison Square Garden convention would be removed.

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HURLS HIS CHAIR FROM PLATFORM

Evangelist Declares Every Bootlegger and Gunman in City Is Against His Campaign.

"Billy" Sunday last night made an unchurchly list of people who do not like revivals. Then he challenged church people to get on the list.

"Against this revival," he said, "you will find every black-legged number, every dope peddler, every bootlegger, every madame of the night, every gunman; you will find the God-forsaken hobo and every riff-raff, plug-ugly, rag-shag and bobtail of society that feeds and fattens and gormandizes upon the virtues, the manhood and the womanhood of others.

"Think twice if the church wants to line up with a dirty dirty list like that."

About 6200 persons attended last night's services and 3000 yesterday afternoon's, the second day of the seven-week revival which begins Sunday at the Coliseum. Monday is the day of rest for Sunday and its staff.

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WITNESSES GONE, SO AUTO KILLING CHARGE MAY FAIL

Prosecutor Says Dismissal of John C. Heman Jr. Is Considered After Fourth Continuance.

Following the fourth continuance of an automobile manslaughter charge against John C. Heman Jr., wealthy contractor, because of the failure of six State's witnesses to appear in court, the prosecutor, Assistant Circuit Attorney Lemon, today expressed the belief that he may find it necessary to dismiss the charge because of the unusual circumstances under which the State's testimony was gathered.

As is known, the charge against Heman, who is 26 years old and lives at 6632 Kingsbury avenue, is based upon the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Foster, who was killed by an automobile driven by Heman, at Park and California avenues, the night of Nov. 26, 1926. She was the second woman to be killed within 20 months by a car driven by Heman.

Heman, 4, Guffey, national committee man from Pennsylvania, claimed Smith would be nominated with only a few votes. A similar view was adopted by George F. Stevenson, national committee man from Washington. Will R. King, Oregon committee man, said there was some sentiment in his state for Senator Reed of Missouri, but that Smith appeared to be the choice of most of the Democrats in his state.

It was announced today that Reed, who has been confined to his hotel here with a slight attack of bronchitis, would attend the Jackson day dinner and deliver an address.

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There is too much encouragement from our so-called good people, for youths like you to violate the law. I was told yesterday by a defendant who pleaded for me that some of the "best" people of the city patronized his place, including several members of the bar. Now it seems to me that our good people, if they are good citizens, should hesitate to hold out inducements to young men to break the laws."

But as he covered more territory in his sermon, he covered more territory also in his interpretation of what was about the stage. Soon the assemblage was in almost continuous laughter or applause and the platform, probably 10 feet by 12, was too small to hold him. Once he turned out on an impromptu platform, he again tossed his light blue chair so that it fell against the shoulder of a newspaper reporter, who called wily and carefully pushed the chair back to its place on the platform.

He made his familiar declaration that he asked no quarter and gave none; that he would "keep setting away God's truth at all times" if "all the devils on earth were here and sat on the seats to stare at me."

The first applause in volume came when he said, "I do not believe the Bible contains the Word of God; I believe the Bible is the Word of God."

"Secure Yourself With Bible."

"Secure yourself by it. See what I do for you. See if it won't mask the flask out of your hip pocket."

He balanced remarks that "Jesus Christ was a great disturber" and produced an element of unrest" with quotations from pleas of the American Bankers' Association and the Manufacturers' Record for spiritual awakening and a polemic against radicals.

"Sect Americans!" he roared, "will we submit to that gang?" "No-o-o-o!"

"A revival's temporary," he conceded. "Yes; so's a bath. But if you good you—wouldn't stay in the bath-tub all the time, would you, you nut?"

"The Revolutionary War was temporary, but we've been free for 200 years and singing the 'Star Spangled Banner' instead of 'God save the King!'"

Pracher and Devil Agree.

He said a revival was to religion as an election campaign was to what a Chamber of Commerce drive was to business; "what communism is to a college; what health is to an individual; what education is to culture." He told of the small boy who said, "My mother's a preacher; he doesn't belong in revivals;" with the reply, "What's where your father agrees with the devil."

The world does not join the church, because the church has not joined the world," he declared.

Speaking of distractions of the age, he told about a missionary sociologist who became so interested in a millinery sale on the way to the meeting that when she finally arrived, she leaped on the platform and said, "Let us sing No. 437."

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Standing room was taken, as seats for 550 persons, for today's plea for honesty and kind-
ness in business today at the City Club, in which he cautioned, "It's not good to possess money, another is possessed by it."

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BASEBALL WORLD
MYSTIFIED BY
HORNSBY TRADE

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New York club really owned the
Braves. "I can't figure it," Hornsby
said, "unless New York or the

league wants to build up the Boston
team, either to make the property
more valuable or to make a
better race of it. Hogan is a good
catcher and Welsh a fair out-
fielder, but I can't see the trade
as a straight player deal designed
to help the Giants."

Hornsby Suggests Explanation.
The explanation of the trade
helped the Giants by trading great
pitchers and infielders to the New

York Club. The Giants also have
assisted the Braves. Several years
ago Dave Bancroft, then star
shortstop of the Giants, was traded to
the Braves in the apparent hope
that the acquisition of the great
infielder would revive baseball in
Boston.

In support of the explanation it
is suggested that if the sale of
the Giants were contemplated the
transfer of Hornsby to Boston
would be to the best interests of
the owners, if the same capital
that controlled the Giants also con-
trolled the Braves.

Dennis Friction With McGraw.

"No, there never has been any
friction between myself and McGraw," Hornsby replied to a question.
"I still think he is the greatest
manager in baseball and I'd
rather play for him than anybody else.
We never had any row. There
was no discord and I thought I was
ace high with him."

Yesterday Hornsby heard that
Kirby Samuels, Cardinal trainer,
had been dismissed at the request
of Frank McKechnie, then manager
of the Cardinals, and he tried to reach McGraw by
telephone to obtain a position for
Samuels. Last night he
phoned a Post-Dispatch reporter
and asked if the Post-Dispatch
could ascertain McGraw's whereabouts.

"I want to try to get a job for a
trainer," Hornsby said. "I believe
McGraw is in Havana and if you
find the name of his hotel I'll phone
him there."

Three hours later Hornsby called
the writer again.

"I'm transferred again."

"Remember, I wanted to get Kir-
by a job with the Giants," Hornsby
asked. "Well, I'm out of a job now.
Not exactly out of a job. But I've
been traded to the Boston Braves."

Hornsby then read a telegram from
Judge Emil Fuchs, president

of the Boston club, telling him of
the transfer and extending the wel-
come of the club to Hornsby and
saying the Fuchs family's regards
to Rogers and Mrs. Hornsby.

Last summer McGraw told the
Post-Dispatch that he and Stone-
ham, the owner of the club, had
considered Hornsby as a man-
agerial possibility when they ob-
tained him from the Cardinals for
Frank Frisch and Jimmy Ring.

"At the end of the season McGraw
paid further compliment to
Hornsby, who during the pennant
race had managed the club for long
periods, while McGraw was ill or
kept away from the team by busi-
ness.

Another explanation suggested is
that the National League, as re-
prisal for Hornsby's demands when
he held a big block of Cardinal
stock, and perhaps as punishment
for the publicity about the Moore
horse race betting suit, had
brought pressure to bear on the

New York club to force it to trade
Hornsby.

However, it seems impossible
that a strong and independent club
like the Giants would submit to
such a thing. New York is the big
center of baseball in the league. For the
league to be prosperous it is con-
sidered necessary for New York to
have a good team and it seems un-
likely that the league would weak-
en its best money-maker to pun-
ish an individual.

With no second baseman worthy
of the name to replace Hornsby,
baseball men generally agree that
the Giants' pennant chances for
1928 have been impaired seriously
by the loss of Hornsby, the most

dangerous batter in the league.

Hornsby's contract with the

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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH

BASEBALL WORLD
MYSTIFIED BY
HORNSBY TRADE

Continued From Preceding Page.

Giants has one more year to run. When he was traded to the Giants after leading the Cardinals to St. Louis' first pennant and world championship in 40 years, Hornsby signed a two-year contract at a salary estimated as high as \$40,000 a year. His contract called for extra compensation for his services as captain of the Giants.

The trade of Hornsby forces the conjecture that the Giants have arranged or will consummate a trade for a second baseman and the announcement can be expected in a few days. It would be folly for the Giants to go into battle with any of the second basemen now on the roster. Andy Cohen or R. C. Rawford could not fill Hornsby's shoes. It may be that the Cincinnati Reds will obtain him by giving the Giants Hughie Critt, but then the question arises as to what the Giants could give in return. However, unless a capable second baseman is obtained, the Giants, in trading Hornsby, have sacrificed whatever pennant chances they had.

Sam Breadon, president of the Cardinals, declined to comment on the trade of Hornsby to the Braves.

Heine Mueller, recently sent to Toledo by the Giants, was asked this morning if he had ever seen any indications of friction between Hornsby and McGraw. Heine was a member of the Giants last season.

"They were like two peons from one pod," Mueller replied. "They were together all the time, went to the races together and we all thought Itoe would be manager some day. It looked like McGraw finally had found somebody he thought was good enough to handle his job whenever he was away. Now let me ask one. Why did they send me to Toledo?"

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50c Turkish Towels (20x40)

Double thread and good weight. 34c

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18x18-Inch Napkins, Dozen

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Madeira Napkins
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These are hand embroidered in a choice of a splendid group of designs on a superior quality of linen. Finely hand scalloped. For one's own household use or for gifts.

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Hand embroidered on pure linen—most fascinating assortment—17x34-in. size.

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All of our departments are now clearing away the Winter lines; reduced prices are made that insure immediate disposal.

For Example:

Draperies and Curtains

75c Figured and Striped Denims

About 730 yards in this group—5 to 15 yard lengths. Various colors—36 inches wide—yard

38c

25c and 35c Swiss and Marquisette

100 yards of fine Curtain Swiss and Marquisette—some with colored dots—good usable lengths—yard

18c

\$2.95 to \$7.95 Sample Curtains

Sample panels and curtain pairs—some slightly soiled or matted—one to three of a pattern

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\$1.95 to \$4 Sample Curtains

Just one to three of a pattern all are Sample Curtains. Some soiled and matted

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Included in this group are all over figured damasks—Rayons in various colors—36 inches wide—yard

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35c Curtain Marquisette

600 yards 36-inch Marquisettes—in ivory and ecru tints: 2 to 20 yard lengths—very special, yard

16c

\$1.65 to \$4.50 Window Shades

Included are fine linen and tint shades—one to three of a kind—24 to 45 inch sizes—no returns or exchanges

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In various sizes and colors—some soiled—one to three of a kind. No returns or exchanges

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THREE NEW SCHOOLS LIKELY TO BE BUILT

Education Board Gets Another Resolution to Limit Superintendent's Power.

The Board of Education voted last night to hold a special meeting as soon as John J. Maddox, Superintendent of Instruction, recovers from an illness, to revise and accelerate its building program, likely to provide for the immediate construction of the Kennard school, Columbus school, destroyed in the tornado, and the West Belle School for Negroes.

The board, at its special meeting, is likely to approve a previous action establishing the Bryan Mullanphy school at Tower Grove and Sappington avenues as an intermediate school, thus necessitating the construction of a new elementary school in the Shaw tract, south of the Missouri Botanical Gardens. This in turn will affect the location of the new Kennard school, recommended by the superintendent to be at a remote site in Kingshighway Hills, and is likely to result in a decision to build the Kennard school on the present site of the Kennard portable at Kingshighway and Arsenal street, as desired by a majority of parents of children in that district.

The board voted, 6 to 5 to limit attendance at summer schools to pupils who have been retarded for physical or other reasons.

More Heckling of Maddox.

As has been the case for more than a year, last night's meeting brought heckling of the Superintendent even though he was absent. Henry Heier, chairman of the Instruction Committee, withdrew his resolution restoring administration of the instruction department to six assistant superintendents instead of three. He offered a long substitute, likewise restoring the six-assistant plan and placing hopes upon the superintendent in the conduct of his office. The proposed rule makes it mandatory that the superintendent hold at least one conference a week with his assistants on dates fixed and unchangeable for 12 months. Board members are privileged to attend these meetings without right of debate or discussion. The six assistants are assistants and the superintendent compelled to assign them as directed. Under the board rules Heier's measure was laid over for 20 days without debate.

Armand Miller, principal of Roosevelt High School, was appointed assistant principal of Harris Teachers' College at a reduced salary. Clarence Orr was rejected as assistant at McKinley Intermediate School.

Midyear graduation dates were set as follows:

Harris Teachers' College, Jan. 27, 8 p.m. at Soldan High School. Beaumont High School, Jan. 27, 4 p.m. Central High School, Jan. 26, 8 p.m. at Beaumont High School. Cleveland High School, Jan. 26, 8:15 p.m. Roosevelt High School, Jan. 27, 8 p.m. Soldan High School, Jan. 26, 10 a.m. Sumner High School, Jan. 26, 8 p.m. Vashon High School, Jan. 24, 8 p.m.

30 Days for Drunken Driving. Lawrence Pease, 37 years old, Negro, 3516 Lawton boulevard, was sentenced to 30 days in the workhouse and fined \$100 by Police Judge Beck this morning on charges of driving while intoxicated, and leaving the scene of an accident. The case resulted from an automobile collision at Twenty-first street and Franklin avenue, last Saturday. He will appeal.

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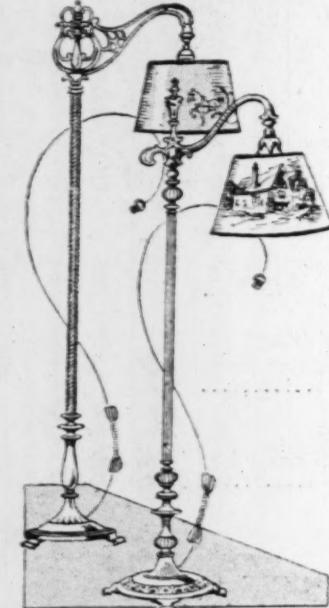
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CHOCOLATE SET of imported china, beautifully decorated, with gold handles. Six cups and saucers and chocolate pot. Regularly \$9.50 for \$6.75

TEA SETS of imported china, consisting of teapot, cream and sugar, and six cups and saucers. Regularly \$27.50 for \$9.50

TEN-INCH SERVICE PLATES of imported Rosenthal china with gold encrusted border and scroll design. Regularly \$100 dozen, for \$69.50

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DINNER SETS AND TEA SETS with a few missing pieces, to be sold at greatly reduced prices.

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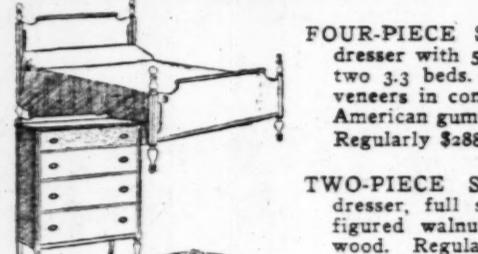
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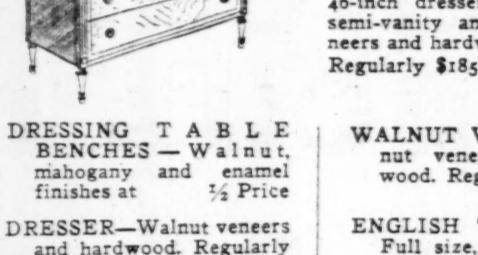
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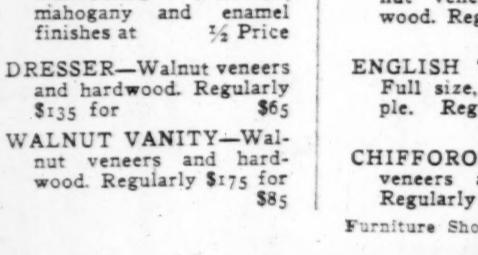


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Furniture Shop—Fifth Floor.

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350 PAIRS GRENADINE RUFFLED CURTAINS of mercerized figured grenadine with self ruffles, in white and ivory. Regularly \$1.95, pair for \$1.50

150 PAIRS RUFFLED CURTAINS of plain ecru muslin of excellent quality. Regularly \$1.45, pair for \$1.25

65 VALANCE SETS of imported and domestic figured grenadine in various colors. Two to six of each pattern including samples. Regularly \$5.85 and \$6.00 set for \$3.50

165 FILET PANELS in all over designs, with rayon fringe. 45 inches wide. Regularly \$1.45 each for \$1.25

135 FRINGED PANELS in various designs, from two to six of a pattern. Regularly \$3.65 to \$4.50 each for \$2.50

700 YARDS CRETONNES—Regularly 75c to \$1.00 for \$0.75

600 YARDS CRETONNES—Regularly \$1.00 to \$1.35 for \$0.75

450 YARDS 50-INCH CHIFFON CURTAIN GAUZE—Regularly \$2.65 yard for \$1.75

500 YARDS 36 TO 50 INCH COLORED DRAPERY FABRICS—Regularly \$1.75 to \$3.65 for 69c and \$0.75

300 YARDS 50-INCH IMPORTED LINEN AND SHADOW WARP CRETONNE—Regularly \$1.75 to \$5.00 yard for \$2.25

35 VELOUR PIANO BENCH PADS—Regularly \$1.75 for \$1.25

TABLE RUNNERS AND PILLOW SQUARES—Regularly \$3.00 to \$15.50 each for \$1.95 to \$4.25

225 PAIRS PLAIN FLOUNCED CURTAINS with ruffles, grenadine, ecru and ivory. Regularly \$2.25 pair for \$1.65

135 SETS FINE RUFFLED VALANCE SETS of voile with colored borders and fancy colored ruffles. Regularly \$2.45 and \$2.95 set for \$1.95

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DECANTERS of imported glass in the form of penguins with silver-plated heads. Regularly \$10.75 for \$13.50, \$14.50, \$17.50, at \$14.50

IMPORTED WINE COOLERS—Frosted crystal glass. Regularly \$7.75 for \$3.25

VENETIAN GLASS FLOWER BOWLS—12 and 14 inch sizes, beautiful colors and shapes. Regularly \$9.50 and \$10.50 for \$4.50

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Double Damask Linen Tablecloths At Special Low Prices

\$5.95 \$7.95 \$9.95

2x2 Yds. 2x2½ Yds. 2x3 Yds.

22-Inch Napkins, \$7.95 Doz.

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All-linen Damask in floral and conventional patterns. 70 inches wide. Yard

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All-linen; hemmed; 22x22-inches.

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22x22-inches. All-linen.

Linen Crash Tray Cloths, 39c

Size 22x22-inches.

Pattern Tablecloths, \$4.95

Linen damask; size 70x106 inches.

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ent quality. Regularly \$1.45, for
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terns. Regularly \$5.85 and \$6.50
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Size 26x52 inches; white.

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stitched hems; size 17x30 inches.

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red or blue borders; 17x30 inches.

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Hemmed; red or blue borders.

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42x38 1/2 inches, each, 42c

45x36 inches, each 42c

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Shops—Second Floor.

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at 8:30 a. m.



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OVERCOATS
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Fabrics	Colors	Patterns	Models
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Fabrics	Colors	Patterns	Models
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U. S. PADLOCK ORDER MODIFIED

Federal Judge Wham at East St. Louis yesterday modified the padlock order on 1820 West Main street, East St. Louis, because the owner, Peter H. Russ of Belleville, testified he had warned the tenant last summer to quit selling whisky there. Soon after the warning, Russ said, prohibition agents raided the place.

The padlock was taken off the second floor and its application to the first floor was shortened to March 1. The original order, issued several months ago, was for one year.

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Sage-Tea Turns Gray Hair Dark

By SHIRLEY BLAKE

That beautiful even shade of dark gray hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray or streaked, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't bother to prepare the mixture. You can get this famous old recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, for only 75 cents, all ready for use. It is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color and lustre of your hair.

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Moral Branch of Service. "Medical social service" said Dr. Emerson, "is the morale branch

MAYOR FOR TRUSTEES FOR CITY HOSPITALS

Says He Upholds Every Proposal by Citizens' Committee in Report.

Addressing an open luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday at which the findings of a survey of public health and hospital facilities in St. Louis were reported in behalf of a Citizens' Committee, Mayor Miller declared he was in favor "without reservation" of every suggestion made in the report.

Among numerous recommendations resulting from the survey, affecting the municipality and private agencies, was one for a board of trustees to control municipal hospitals instead of the Hospital Commission, one for erection of the new Negro hospital adjacent to City Hospital, one for a new milk control ordinance, and many varied improvements in practice and buildings.

"If we had had the funds available, a great many of the improvements would have been made already," the Mayor said. "I am fully in accord with this movement and will do everything in my power and ready for use. It is called Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color and lustre of your hair.

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of hospital service. It is not a collection agency. It furnishes physicians with needed information about home conditions, and the like. It should be built up and improved."

Facilities for proper and economical care of convalescent and chronic patients are badly lacking, the speakers maintained. Care of these types in regular hospitals is to expensive, interferes with proper service of the hospitals and militates against the various types of patients, they explained.

The remarks of both physicians

emphasized the need for more municipal revenue, a current subject of discussion.

"You have inadvertently skimped your expenditures for prevention," said Dr. Emerson, "and have had large expenditures in some institutions which are not altogether satisfactory to you. The nation's bill for sickness averages \$20 per person per year, or mean about \$16,500,000 in St. Louis. The latter figure includes \$7,350,000 spent in hospitals, exclusive of Federal

and proprietary institutions and those handling communicable diseases, which are really preventive agencies, as they prevent spread of contagion. Of this, \$2,155,000 is paid by the city."

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R. J. Ahens has been appointed

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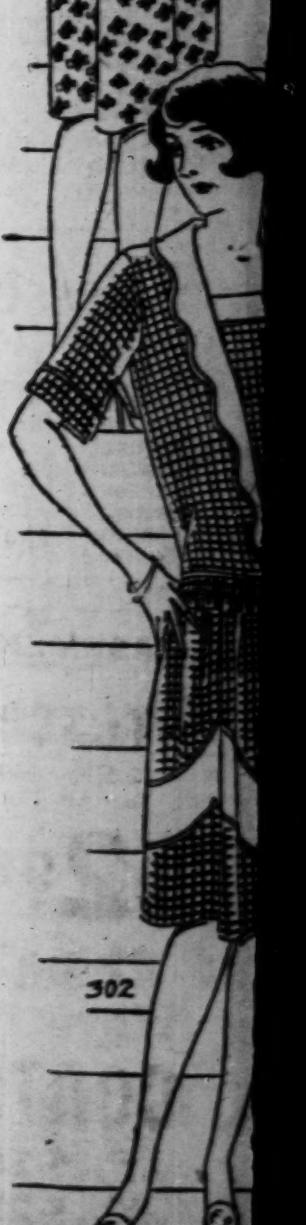
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New Silk Lingerie
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Included are Padded
Robes. Also Negligees of
Satin, Crepe de Chine and
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\$9.75 \$16.75

The very newest Spring modes
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Natural Squirrel Coats....\$288
Jap Weasel Coats....\$288
Coco Squirrel Coats....\$198
American Broadtail Coat....\$198
Silver, Gold, Dark Muskrat, \$168
Caracul Paw Coats....\$100

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BASEMENT ECONOMY STORE NEWS

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Style 308x 309x 304 908x 305 909x 902 907 908 901 301 302 303

Quantity

Size

Color

Address

Name

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An Event of Special Importance to St. Louis Women—Eagerly Anticipated Because of the Wide Variety of New Styles Shown and Extreme Values Offered

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Extra Salespeople and
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An Important Feature Is the Exceptional
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Misses'
Women's
and Extra
Sizes...

You should have no difficulty in filling your needs as size range includes: misses' 16 to 18; women's 36 to 44; extra sizes 46 to 52.

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Distinctive
Styles...

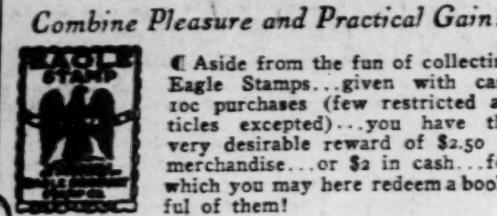
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49c Batiste Baby Pillow Slips..... 35c
89c Woven Terry Bath Mats..... 65c
\$3.95 Crash Luncheon Sets, set..... \$7.75
79c Fancy Colored Bath Towels..... 49c
59c All-Linen Glass Cloths..... 45c
69c All-Linen Huck Towels, each..... 44c
\$15.95 to \$37.95 Banquet Cloths, Less 1/2

Linen Section—Third Floor

Summer Suits for
Baby Brother!

\$1.35 to \$3.85

\$1.05 to \$4.95 Suits, of
tub-fabrics... in the
most delightful styles
... and dainty or practical
colors. Sizes 1 to 6 years.

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Regularly \$1.95 to \$4.95

\$1.35 \$1.85 \$2.85 \$3.85

Pants Frocks from well-known makers
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Frocks... fashioned of sheer, dainty
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models... or of sturdy practical tub
fabrics... each little Frock ex-
quisitely trimmed... in a wide
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Your choice of our entire collection... skillfully made of the most fashionable pelts... in approved colors. Richly lined and beautifully finished... at
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Months ago we began making special purchases of adorable things for babies and little tots... and now they are offered in this sale... at savings which make it advisable to fill all Spring and Summer needs at once!

Suits, Dresses, Creepers

For the baby and tots of 2 to 6 years. Nicely tailored, in cunning styles... of practical tub fabrics! In lovely colors and gay patterns, at... 95c

\$1 to \$6.95 Undergarments

Sample Garments for tiny tots, and girls... up to 16 years! Bloomers, slips, gowns, combinations, pajamas and other garments... of silk and cotton... at a
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and Creeper Suits... for sister or brother! Of
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... drop-seat or envelope styles... each one delight-
fully trimmed... sizes 1 to 3 years, at... \$1.35 to \$2.85

\$1.95 to \$3.95 Dresses

Walking Dresses... of sheer, dainty
fabrics... in white... or delicate
pastel colors... charmingly trimmed
... in sizes 1 to 3 years... at... \$1.35 to \$2.85

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Tiny Frocks of all-silk crepe... in
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In the
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are maple-flavored Con-
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Maple Caramel Bonbons, lb. 60c
Maple Pecan Patties, lb. 60c
Maple Caramels, lb. 60c
Chocolate covered, Maple
Walnut, lb. 60c
Maple Pecan Croquettes, lb. 80c
Maple Pecan Pralines, each 10c
Maple Wrapped Kisses, lb. 50c
Maple Wrapped Nougat, lb. 60c
Maple Pecan Brittle, lb. \$1.00
Milk Choc. Maple Eclairs, lb. 60c
Maple Marshmallows, lb. 60c
Maple Pecan Marshmallow
Balls, lb. 80c
Maple Assortment, lb. 60c

— in Attractively Wrapped Cakes
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15c 30c and 50c

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Candy Section—Main Floor

Entire Stock of

Manhattan SHIRTS

25%

Regularly
\$2.15 to \$12.50

You already are familiar with the excellence of Manhattan Shirts... and when you realize that white, colored, plain and patterned... neckband, collar-
attached and separate styles... are included at this saving... you'll want to select a full supply for immediate
and future wear!

Pajamas and Mansco Union Suits
... also at savings of about 25%

Main Floor

Carving Sets

Regularly 90c... 39c



This is an exceptional saving
on these two-piece Carving Sets
of good size, made of high-
grade steel... with stag handle!
Sets consist of a carving knife
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These Pipe Wrenches are
the well-known Stillson pattern...
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Basement Gallery

1.50 & \$1.75
Silk Hose

Again
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More than 40 smart
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this group of beautiful silk
Hosiery at this timely saving!
Included are silk-top chintons,
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... and lace-top, service Hose!
Every pair is beautifully clear woven
of pure silk... in the most desirable
shades!

Remember, There Is Econ-
omy in Buying Two or More
Pairs of the Same Shade.

Main Floor

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In Exquisitely Dainty Styles!

\$2.95 and \$3.95

Lovely Slips... worthy of that most im-
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dainty lace, inserts and embroidery. Then
too... Some are in plainer styles...
with hemstitching and picot edging...
Bottoms are double... and plain or
lace trimmed... sizes 14, 16 and 18
years.

Misses' Bloomers
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Dainty and attractive...
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and pretty ruffles of lace... in sizes 14, 16 to 18.

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Clothes! Is Easily
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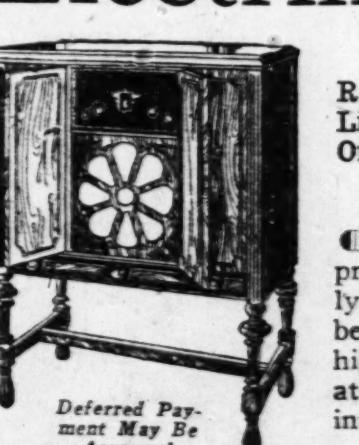
The new Easy Washer is
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tub which whirls a full basket
of clothes damp dry... and
ready to hang on the line...
while the gently efficient
Easy Vacuum Cups... in
the other tub are washing
another load perfectly
clean... without injury
to the most delicate
fabrics!

Let us do your next week's washing
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beautiful... and decorative! The Radio is
highly selective, richly toned... and operated
with amazing facility! Simply plug
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Complete with all equipment... this radio includes the 15 distinctive
"Priess" features... operates on tubes or speaker! No aerial or wires needed!

Radio Section—Sixth Floor



Haviland China Dinner Ware

\$69

Incomplete Sets,
Very Special at...

The Haviland china... in graceful design...
beautifully ornamented with decorations
of exquisite daintiness. Dinner Sets of
any hostess may be justly proud... and
since the number is limited... early selection
is advisable. Each set contains 95 pieces!

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PART TWO.

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Advice of General Board.

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the Secretary of the Navy follows:

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our citizens, will furnish a

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Peace Duties of Cruisers.

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"Future wars must be fought
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600,000 tons of vessels of the
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posal at Geneva was for cruise-
tonnage of between 250,000 and
300,000 tons, a tonnage less than
we felt necessary for our fleet. We
were willing to accept the hazard
of building less tonnage than we
needed if the other Powers would
accept similar hazards."

"Great Britain was not willing to
accept this limitation, but felt her
needs for the larger tonnage of
cruisers she proposed to be im-
portant for the protection of her
national interests."

America Needs Tonnage.

"The insistence of Great Britain
and her naval experts, and of
her delegates at the Geneva Con-
ference upon her absolute need
for a larger tonnage of cruisers,
regardless of the naval program of
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nite need for cruiser tonnage, re-
gardless of the program of other
powers. If we are to have a well-
rounded fleet for our defense, and
also a certain program for us to
is in no sense optional."

Out-Date Ships.

The general board's report added
that there are 22 cruisers of a
total displacement of 164,100 car-
ried in a decommissioned status
that should be replaced, for "all
lock-speed, gun and general ser-
vice."

The report also said that the
efficiency of destroyer squadrons as
a whole "suffers from the lack of
squadron leaders," and that the
"act of submarine construction and
submarine operation has advanced
materially in recent years, so that
it is possible to operate subma-
rines of a suitable type for long
periods at sea." It added that "we
cannot afford to neglect" this de-
velopment.

Wilbur pointed out that because
of the Washington naval treaty the
new cruisers would be limited to
10,000 tons displacement and to
a gun of 8-inch caliber. He said
that the 25 new cruisers would be
in addition to the eight under con-
struction and the 10 cruisers already
built, making a total of 43 modern
cruisers.

Time Limit Opposed.

The Secretary recalled that under
the Washington treaty, with the
launching of the new airplane
carriers Lexington and Saratoga and
the launching of the Langley, the
United States had been compelled
to tone down for aircraft carriers.

He added that if five carriers were
to be built their size necessarily
would be limited to 13,800 tons
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The board's report

How Kansas City Is Squeezed Between Two Gas Corporations Owned by the Same Persons

Consumers Pay 95 Cents a Thousand Cubic
Feet for Natural Product Costing 3 Cents
in Field.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.
KANSAS CITY, Mo., Jan. 11.—The
City Council of Kansas City has
granted a franchise for a new
company to compete with the
Kansas City Gas Co. in supplying
natural gas and in this fact citizens
see some hope for relief from an
intolerable situation in which they
have been placed for years.

Kansas City long has suspected
that 95 cents a 1,000 feet is too
high a price for natural gas. That
is approximately the price other
comparable cities pay for artificial
gas. Yet the city has been balked
on every legal avenue along which
it has sought to proceed to a deter-
mination of what is a fair price.

Its importance lies in the fact
that three separate companies par-
ticipate in bringing in the gas. The
companies are separate in incor-
poration only. All are owned by
the same group who therefore en-
force the profits of the franchise
contracts with themselves.

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bles to the Missouri Public Ser-
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clares that it will sell to Doherty's
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THE POST-DISPATCH PLATFORM

I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles: that it will always fight for progress or reform; never tolerate injustice or corruption; always fight demagogues; always march, never belong to any party; always oppose special classes and public plunderers; never lack sympathy with the poor; always remain devoted to the public welfare; never be satisfied with merely printing news; always be drastically independent; never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULITZER.

April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

Dr. Nelson on Hickman: It is not often that I have to take issue with an editorial in the Post-Dispatch, but I certainly must with one in reference to the article which Dr. William Nelson wrote for another evening paper, regarding Hickman.

Will you permit me to state in a few words the gist of what Dr. Nelson says, and what I believe to be the facts?

The published reports of the Hickman case indicate that Hickman is a frank and unashamed emetic of sexual development. With an adult body and average intelligence for his age, his emotions are those of the 10-year-old boy who takes pleasure in torturing. Killing him, while it will satisfy public opinion, will not cure others who suffer from the same arrangement, but whose acts are not so atrocious. Punishment of individuals like Hickman has absolutely no effect on other individuals of this type. Cure may be possible, but not in penitentiaries as they are now organized. A cure is practical, requiring strict treatment by medicalists who make a specialty of this field.

It is not safe for individuals like Hickman to be at large, but if they are to be chloroformed do it, not in the name of punishment, but in recognition of the fact that society has as yet no means for detecting such cases before harm is done, nor proper means of segregating them after tragedies like this have occurred.

I admire the courage of a public official like Dr. Nelson. He gives what he believes to be the modern, sensible and courageous opinion in regard to the Leopold-Hickman cases, in the hope that the painful suffering and death of the little Parker maiden and the agony of family may not altogether in vain.

The Post-Dispatch has an amazing sense of being right pretty much of the time, so I feel sure that after this allusion to the Leopold-Hickman cases will sometime inform the public what is known of the case of the students of communism of the other two incipient Leopold-Hickman cases.

F. P. O'HARE.

Mean Big Year.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch: As far as St. Louis is concerned, I am in the primitive language of the Indian. His big year: the big flight, the big wind and the big smoke.

R. C. F.

The Case of Parochial Joseph Knowles, to the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE been waiting to see a protest in your columns against the censure of our police department. First the police department asks an officer a question he would have the right not to answer on the ground of freedom of speech. But the officer had the backbone to give his honest opinion and he was fined \$25. I would like to have some one explain to me under what law this can fine a man for free speech.

This officer merely expressed his personal opinion, which is that he has a perfect right to do as an American citizen. He did not refuse to do his duty as an officer of the law. He was not sent out to make any arrest for law violation. Let me get it clear as to who is running our police department. Mayne old Bill Thompson is right. From all indications it would seem so.

AMERICANO.

A Ridiculous Occurrence, to the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

PLEASE permit me to express appreciation of your editorial in regard to the O'Shea case (that of an Irishman who fought in our army and is now being denied admission to this country). It is a ridiculous occurrence.

READER.

Slick, Mo.

Strikes the Nail on the Head, to the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

THE latest suggestion made by the Spirit of St. Louis Memorial Committee to take care of the Lindbergh trophies at Jefferson Memorial seems to strike the nail on the head. It is one of the finest collections of trophies in the world and it is being added to, every day.

It is the Missouri Historical Society that is to be congratulated which to maintain it, seems unceasingly.

If the ladies working for the Lindbergh Memorial will take hold of this collection, pay expenses for the time being at least, and provide some suitable cases which could be placed in the beautiful west wing of the Jefferson Memorial, it would bring everlasting praise and credit to their undertaking. Yours very truly,

A. E. FORBES.

Commercialization,

to the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

IN YOUR report of a Billy Sunday speech, you quote him as saying that professional baseball has become commercialized until it can hardly be called a sport. Evangelism, in my opinion, has been commercialized to a greater extent.

A BASEBALL FAN.

AN APPEAL TO THE STATE.

The Post-Dispatch joins the City Counselor in his protest to the Public Service Commission against letting J. K. Newman and his associates hand the street car system of St. Louis over to a holding company set up by them in Delaware, that is a foreign corporation over which the Commission has no control.

Mr. Muench, the City Counselor, has already reminded the Commission that another holding company, the A. T. & T., is taking 4 per cent of the gross earnings of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in St. Louis, a toll which must be absorbed by telephone rates. The Commission cannot have forgotten how futilely it attempted in this instance to deal with a foreign corporation. The Post-Dispatch would like to remind it that the reorganizers of the street car system no more need a holding company than they need a new franchise. They have no need for either to carry on the profitable business of running the street cars of St. Louis, for which they enjoy the exclusive privilege.

Another striking example of the State's inability to protect the public from exploiters operating under two or more corporate names is found in Kansas City, where the gas distributing company, owned by H. L. Doherty, buys its gas from an interstate pipe line company also owned by Doherty. It bases its rates to Kansas City consumers on the price it pays its twin company. This latter price is beyond the jurisdiction of the State Commission, and since there is no Federal control over sales rates charged by interstate utility corporations Kansas City has no redress.

A measure of the exertion under which Kansas City has suffered is found in these facts: The Doherty distributing company pays the Doherty pipe line company 40 cents a thousand feet for gas and charges the consumer a maximum of 95 cents. A new company, which proposes to compete, declares that it will pipe gas from the same natural field and sell it to Doherty's distributing company in Kansas City at 25 cents. Failing that, it proposes to distribute the gas to consumers at from 30 to 50 cents, depending upon the amount taken. Doherty prefers to pay himself 40 cents through the twin company. The consumer, of course, pays the bill.

The Commission has a chance to save the street railways of St. Louis from such orgies as those in which as many as six holding companies have been pyramided upon a single property. What is more important, it has an opportunity to retain an important and vital control, and that chance it will never have again if it weakens now.

BRAVO FOR PASTE.

The melancholy days have come for the deft and daring gentry of France who are known in harsh police terminology as jewel thieves. All that glitters is no longer diamonds, or rubies, or sapphires. The passive pearl, even, like her flashier sisters, is too often synthetic. The world of fashion has gone phonies. The daughters of Caput have taken to wearing imitation bangles. De Maupassant was something of a prophet in that tragic bit of fiction, "The Necklace." Thus the hypocrisy of the great world has soured a segment of the underworld. Three bravos for paste.

THE STONE WALL.

After a comprehensive survey, the American Public Health Institute has declared St. Louis behind the times in public health work, thereby confirming what we ourselves have known for a long time. Yesterday at the Chamber of Commerce these deficiencies were described in particularity and illustrated with colored charts all very interesting. We have too much tuberculosis, too much communicable disease and so on. There are ways to ameliorate these conditions, and these ways are outlined in the survey.

However, the most interesting part of the meeting was Mayor Miller's brief talk. He said he had looked over the survey, had talked with the specialists who prepared it and was in hearty accord with it; moreover, many of the things proposed would already have been done if the city had had the money. That was the most interesting part of the meeting because, unless that condition is changed, there is no use talking about improvement in public health or any other kind of improvement in St. Louis.

It was brought out that St. Louis, publicly and privately, is spending 31 cents per capita for public health. Other cities of the same class are spending from \$1.50 to \$2. We will continue to spend only \$1 until the city's arachic tax rate of \$1.35 for municipal purposes is lifted. That is the stone wall against which all efforts to improve conditions in St. Louis are shattered. It is the obstacle which must be removed before we can discuss with any profit our problems of public health, street paving and other aspects of city government in which we are lagging.

Our peace prophets, it might be added, are not without honor save in their own country.

NICARAGUA REVOLTS.

One reason why the Post-Dispatch has felt we should remove our armed forces from Nicaragua is that we have been fearful a time would come when it would not be easy to withdraw them. That time has apparently come. The defection from our support is spreading to the local constabulary and the mountain towns. It is not a nice prospect that we face down there. Reinforcements are hurrying to the support of our beleaguered garrisons, and it goes without saying that in time Nicaragua will be conquered.

We shall then have time to recapitulate, to consider whether it was worth what it cost thus ruthlessly to impose ourselves upon that little country. The Post-Dispatch has never denied the obligation of the United States to protect in Nicaragua our own nationals and their property, as well as the nationals and property of other nations estopped by the Monroe Doctrine from using force in Latin-America. It has seriously questioned the wisdom of intervening in domestic politics and maintaining at all cost the present Nicaraguan Government to the exclusion of what seems to have been the popular party.

All Latin America is against us in the Nicaraguan adventure. All the principal newspapers in that part of the world are against us. None of them denies our obligation. All of them deny our right to say who shall rule in Nicaragua and to take up arms against all dissenters. We will be fortunate if the Pan-American Congress, which convenes within the next 10 days, does not serve to show us how widespread that resentment is.

Messrs. Coolidge and Kellogg have been obdurate. They have not paid the slightest deference to counter opinion, either here or abroad, and the consequence

is that we have upon our hands the ugly necessity of conquering Nicaragua in guerilla warfare. What sort of statesmanship is it that gets us into such messes?

THE GOVERNOR TACKLES THE ROAD PROBLEM.

Gov. Baker is going to appoint a special committee of six to bring about an agreement between the State Highway Commission and the Automobile Club as to the road bond issue to be submitted to the people in the November election. He himself will act as chairman of the committee on which the commission and the club, both of which have agreed to the plan, will be represented.

It is fair to presume that the Governor's influence will prevail in the deliberations and his judgment dictate the conclusion arrived at. Under such circumstances the Governor must, of course, acquaint himself with the facts of the road situation, with the needs developed by traffic expansion, and with public sentiment as to the equities of the case. Information on the first two counts is available. The matter of public sentiment is always more or less a question of judgment, but in this instance there is evidence enough to warrant a fairly accurate deduction.

The paramount requirement, obviously, is an adequate, balanced State highway system, completed as soon as practicable. That means highways that meet the needs of the cities, and it also means a system of farm-to-market roads that meet the needs of the farmers.

It will take a lot of money to do this. In forecasting the amount calculations, no matter by whom made, are liable to error. But surely it is the part of business prudence and foresight to provide enough money for this great enterprise, and provide it in such a way the commission will not have to requisition it unless it is needed.

Other points of difference have to do with taxes and the distribution of funds after the present system is completed. A 10-year guarantee against any increase in the gasoline tax and registration fee has been tentatively mentioned. That ought to be satisfactory to both the commission and the club.

Finally, the matter of distributing the funds remaining after the completion of the present system. There is just one way to devise an acceptable plan of distribution and that is on a basis of equity; a plan that will deal fairly with every county in the State and will also deal fairly with the cities and populous counties which provide the greater part of the money.

That is the road bond problem in its essentials. It must be solved. The Governor and his committee will, we are confident, solve it.

WE SING THE SUNDAY PASS.

The street cars run on Sunday, just the same as through the week, but we have no Sunday rush hour, when the traffic hits a peak. Forgotten then the office, the business that we keep, while some of us go riding and sundry others sleep. The solitary grandeur of the Sunday street car's past, for two bits we can ride about as long as Sundays last. When we weary of the riding and we close our heavy lids, the pass is still transferable to mamma and the kids. So, ho, the Sunday street car pass in merry roundelay; just give the man a quarter and he'll let you ride all day. Sing loud the Sunday street car pass in lifting, swinging ditty; we'll give the man a quarter and we'll ride about the city. Sing, ho, the Sunday street car pass in unrestrained, wild glee, we'll ride around the city till the shilling hour of three. But when of riding 'round the town too suddenly we bore, why not let us view the country, say, for 30 cents or more?

BOULDER DAM AND THE POWER LOBBY.

To date the bating average of the great power lobby, headed by ex-Secretary of the Treasury Cortelz, is 1,000 per cent. Some time ago, in the first test of its strength, it scored a major victory when the Senate insisted upon sending Senator Walsh's power trust investigation to the Interstate Commerce Committee. Yesterday the lobby scored a second time when a United States Chamber of Commerce committee issued a report opposing the Swing-Johnson Boulder Dam bill or any other bill which seeks to safeguard the Boulder Dam project from the power gang.

To get control of Boulder Dam is one of the latter's primary aims, and this Chamber of Commerce report gives aid and comfort to it. If the arguments of the report were accepted by Congress, another great public property would be lost to the people forever. As the matter stands at present, the Swing-Johnson bill, pending before both houses of Congress, authorizes the Secretary of the Interior to erect and operate a hydro-electric power plant with an installed capacity of 1,000,000 horsepower. The plant would have a steady capacity of 550,000 horsepower, or about three times the steady capacity of the Government plant at Muscle Shoals.

We are at the very dawn of the power age and perhaps never before in the history of American industry has there been such a complete anticipation of it by private capital. In fact, the machinery for an exploitation of power has already been set up. As we have pointed out before and as we shall frequently have occasion to mention again, practical control of the power industry is already in the hands of five men or corporations—Insull of Chicago, Ryan of New York, Morgan of New York, Doherty of New York, and the General Electric Co.

So far the power lobby is doing very well, indeed. The other side, however—the great public forces behind the Swing-Johnson bill—are rolling their guns into position.

THE FORBIDDEN ISSUE.

There is food for deep cogitation, reverie and a little humor in the spanking given Senator McMaster by his Republican colleagues because he tried to win approval of his resolution for a general reduction of tariff duties.

Yet all the cogitation, reverie and humor in the world will only lead one to agree that justice was on the side of the righteous standpatters who administered this chastisement. For consider the crime of the Senator. With a national election just around the corner, with a Republican war chest to be filled by shaking down the tariff barons, he proposed that the very jugular vein of Republicanism be punctured. Could baseness become more base? Could ingratitude become viler? Could treachery descend to greater depths?

After the justice of Senator McMaster's licking has become apparent, one might turn his faculties of cogitation, reverie and humor to finding out why these Republican minute men think it is right to hijack the public for the relief of the manufacturer, but wrong to do so for the relief of the farmer.

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DANGEROUS BUSINESS.

Church and State in Mexico

From the New York World.

YESTERDAY The World printed an interview with Bishop Diaz which appears in the current issue of the Commonwealth.

The Bishop, who has just returned from Rome, is the authoritative spokesman of the Mexican Bishops in this conflict with the Mexican Government. Bishop Diaz began the interview by saying that he regarded as "very significant" a statement recently made in these columns to the effect that "until there is peace between Church and State in Mexico there will not be complete peace in Mexico and there will not be untroubled understanding between Mexico and the United States."

The World is fully aware how delicate a matter it is for an American newspaper to attempt to discuss the relations between Church and State in a foreign land. Nevertheless, we venture to do this, because it must be evident that a solution of this problem is in the highest degree desirable.

OFFICIALLY our Government can do nothing. But unofficially Americans, regardless of their own religious affiliations, can perhaps help to create an atmosphere in which a constructive solution may be found. They are in a position now to speak without fear of being misunderstood in Mexico, for the official dispute between Washington and Mexico City is over. What ever Americans may say about this problem of Church and State is no longer likely to be confused with the controversy over property rights. It is possible to speak disinterestedly and therefore to be listened to sympathetically.

THE conflict between Church and State arises out of the decision of the Calles Government to enforce Article 3 and Article 13 of the Constitution of 1917. The paragraph in Article 3 to which the church objects is one which prohibits what we should call parochial schools: "No religious corporation nor minister of any religious creed shall establish or direct schools of primary instruction." All primary education in Mexico is, in other words, secular. Article 13 is even more drastic.

It begins by giving the Government power to exercise in matters of religious worship and outward ecclesiastical form such intervention as by law authorized." It then goes on to say that "the Congress shall not enact any law establishing or prohibiting any religion whatsoever." It then provides that marriage is a civil contract. This apparently denies the legal validity of church marriage. It provides also among other things that ministers of religion are members of a profession which may be regulated by law. That the State Legislatures may fix the quota of ministers of religion in each locality, that only Mexicans by birth may be ministers of religion, that no minister of religion may criticize the laws or the authorities, that may not vote or hold office, that new churches may not be dedicated without permission from the Government. The church has been making concordats with hostile governments for at least eight centuries. It terminated the long investiture quarrel with the Empire by the Concordat of Worms in 1122. Before the Eighteenth Century it had made five concordats. In the Eighteenth Century it made 12. In the Nineteenth Century it made 26. The most famous of all modern concordats was entered into with Napoleon in 1801. It contained such provisions as the reduction of the number of dioceses to less than half, and an agreement that the Bishops would appoint only such parish priests as were acceptable to the Government.

We cite these historical precedents not as suggestions as to how the present controversy can be adjusted, but as indications of the flexibility of the church in dealing with just such questions as are now under dispute. Is it too much to hope that Church and State in Mexico may soon approach one another, each recognizing the jurisdiction of the other in its own sphere, and that out of such negotiations a concordat might be arrived at which would bring peace to all concerned?

JUST A MINUTE

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LIGHT LYRICS FOR WINTER WEATHER

To teach us all humility, the poet wants us to know
What mortal spirit should be proud, that all too soon must go
Amid the

Of Making Many Books
JOHN G. NEIHARDTThe Bitterness of
Truth

FOR most of us "the world is so full of a number of things," as R. L. S. observed, that no wonder so many of us are persuaded to regard fact as being the same thing as truth. Facts crowd us all and they have a brutal way about them; and the world is always jumping sideways in our efforts to dodge or overtake them, and all lives are, in some measure, the result of compromise, with or without, these tyrants of sense.

So bitter seems this truth to a certain human temperament, that long ago decided to deny the whole objective world of what we call fact, seeking truth in subjective states alone. That, virtually, is what Oriental philosophy does; and it would require a great man to prove just yet that the Oriental view is foolish.

We Occidentals are of a different temper: so different that we have come to the opposite extreme; and too much can kill as well as too little.

All of us in the western world are born into a scientific atmosphere, and our thinking is conditioned by that fact, whether we know anything about science or not. It's "in the air." It is the business of science to deal with facts, and he would be a sorry philosopher, in our eyes at least, who could not admire the efficiency with which science has been, and still is attending to its business.

But some people do not realize that it is the business of science to discover, name and classify facts; it is the business of art to do something very different; and, of course, literature is a form of art. Art in its largest sense, is applied philosophy working in the concrete stuff of our experience. Its business is to reveal, by various strategic means, the larger relations between the facts of human experience. In its highest forms, the relations revealed are those that endure so far as we are able to know, but not far enough for our finite purposes. At least the relations revealed are unchanging in our little world of ever changing fact that seems to boil like quicksand. Our store of facts has increased enormously since the Greeks of fifth century Athens; but their human truths remain true.

And how can this be, since they could not have considered more than a small portion of our facts? Because all our new facts fall naturally into old classifications.

However the separate classifications must be enlarged to hold the new facts that have sprung up, the relations between the classifications do not change, so far as men may know. If this were not true, there would be no place in the modern world for the Bible: Socrates would seem no longer wise; and Homer and Aeschylus

would be worthy the attention of intelligent men.

It is easy to see why so many people nowadays find the old classics dull. It is the facts, the raw material of literature, that really interests them; and, naturally, they find the facts outmoded. For instance, some cannot get past the childish gods of Homer, the strange customs of Homeric times, to find the sadness and the glory of the human truth that is still true about us now.

Many will remember how, during the days when Zola, the great French "realist," was flourishing, it was made to seem the wise thing to say that what we mortals needed was "the bitter truth" about life. We had, presumably, grown up at last, and we had put away childish things. No more fairy stories for us! We could stand the shock of things as they were. Let the mollycoddles "kid" us with pretty lies about human nature. There we stood, disillusioned, but undaunted. "Bring on your worst and serve it rare!" There is hideous vice, creating poverty and unmitigated misery, all over the world." We were proud that we could see the ends of our noses.

It is good to be able to see the end of one's nose; but one gets cross-eyed looking at it. Nevertheless, it became the literary fashion to insist upon the superior virtues of myopia. It is still being done because it is extremely difficult to see all around the facts that hold our attention. Accordingly we have what is erroneously called "realism" in literature.

Zola used to say that "a novel is a slice of life seen through a temperament;" and such was his temperament that he, usually, though not always took his slice where the meat was tainted. This was hailed as a triumph for "the bitter truth." It was only a doubtful triumph for certain bitter facts; which was something different. It is not yet proven that the truth is bitter, though certainly there is a chaste and enabling sadness about it always.

The people today are too intelligent for war," he said emphatically. "Idiocy is the cause of war, and there is enough idiocy in the world to keep everyone busy."

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Edison, however, failed to share Ford's enthusiasm for aviation. While Ford was avowing them "the greatest marvels of the age, and the coming thing," Edison said he probably would escort her home one in a street car and she would love it.

ROADWAY looks lightly on

philandering among young and middle age. It has the tolerant attitude that after all ladies must live. If a maid can take an old dog for the proverbial "cleaning,"

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ND later the same evening in

another haunt she was cooling

to one of those vaselined young

men with immobile expressions who

clipped his few comments out the

side of a tight lipped mouth. He

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until they are "perfected."

Ford displayed great interest in

the inventor's collection of rubber

plants in the laboratory, with

which Edison has been endeavoring

to produce a native growth.

Edison declined to comment on the

fact, but the manufacturer said his

friend was meeting with success

in his experiments.

Both were asked the usual questions

relating to retirement. To

these Ford replied: "I feel as Edison does. He is older than I. He is 84 and I am 65. If he refuses to retire, do you think that a younger man, should?"

STUDENTS' CONCERT TOMORROW

Program for Third of "A" Series

by Symphony Orchestra.

The third of the "A" series of

students' concerts will be given by

the Symphony Orchestra tomorrow

afternoon at the Odeto on Frederick

Fischer conducting.

The program:

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Mozart from The Ring of the Warner

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From Cuckoo to Bank.

Guy L. Tetherington, who began

as a clerk in the First National

Bank of Granite City 27 years ago,

yesterday was elected president.

He succeeds Mark Henson, who

had sold his interest in the bank

and has purchased controlling in-

terest in the Union Trust Co. of

Madison, Ill. Tetherington for

several years has been cashier of

the Granite City bank. He has held

several public offices.

ST. JOSEPH DEMOCRATIC PROSPECTIVE CANDIDATE FOR SENATORSHIP.

Romulus E. Culver of St. Joseph.

Mo., prospective candidate for the

Democratic nomination for United

States Senator in the August primary.

Visited a number of leading

St. Louis Democrats yesterday. He

is 63 years old, and is former

Prosecuting Attorney and Judge of

the Criminal Court of Buchanan

and former City Counselor of St. Joseph.

He was a leading member of the State constitutional convention of 1922-23.

Active work is in progress in the

campaign of Charles M. Hays for the

Democratic senatorial nomination.

A dinner in Hays' honor is to be given at the City Club the night of Jan. 30.

LOUIS F. POST, ECONOMIST, DIES

Assistant Labor Secretary Old.

Wilson was 78 years old.

W. H. Wilson, 78 years old, who was

assistant secretary of labor in the

Wilson administration, died unex-

pectedly here yesterday. He was

known as an editor and an econ-

omist.

Post was born in New York

State and was a follower of Henry

George, single tax advocate.

He founded the Public, a Chicago pub-

lication and edited it until 1913

when he was made assistant sec-

retary of labor, serving in that

capacity throughout Wilson's two

terms.

"Comment" in French means "how"

commonly in this country it means "And

now."

Neither did we expect to live to see the

day when document would be known as

genuine forgery."

The man who was certain to make his

mark in the world has a son who always

lets the bathtub drain slowly.

From a casual survey of the photographs,

we incline to believe that the essential in-

gredient of a Balkan coup is a chest full of

bullets acquired stopping previous coups.

Forbidding the sale of toy pistols has

been urged as a measure to prevent hold-

ups. The proposal was made seriously.

And when the pretty defendant is ac-

quitted on a plea of insanity, what effect

does it have. We sometimes wonder, on her

availability as a vaudeville performer?

What we want to know is, what becomes

the explanation after the scientist has

planned the abstruse question so that the

average man can understand it?

Imaginary Conversations

First married woman: I continued to

work after marriage.

Second ditto: Well, I kept on playing

bridge.

J. D. H.

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ing Predicted

HITS' FROM BROADWAY SHOWS IN MAXWELL HOUR ON KSD
"Broadway Night," featuring selections from popular New York shows, will be presented in the Maxwell House Hour, which will be broadcast through KSD tomorrow night.

The program will open with selections from "Hit the Deck," played by the Marine Orchestra under Nathaniel Shilkret. The writers of "Good News"—Al Silva, Henderson and Brown—will present a few musical sketches. The Liebling Singers from the Strand Theater will present special members, while Walter Donaldson, Milton Ager and Jack Yellen will represent Tin Pan Alley with several hits.

Wee Willie Robey and May Bowes of the Capitol Theater family will present "Moments With You," the newest song by Nathaniel Shilkret and Jack Yellen. The Broadway night would be completed, so the orchestra will play excerpts from his music for the Ziegfeld "Follies" of 1927.

Gladys Rice and Douglas Stanbury of Roxy's Gang will sing and there will be a musical unit from the Paramount Theater. Rubie Bloom, pianist, will illustrate the latest trend in jazz by playing "Slo-Loquy."

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MAN SENTENCED TO DIE YEARS AGO MISSING AT SEA

Cape Hatteras Gale Appears to Have Swallowed Capt. T. M. Bram and His Schooner Alvena.

By the Associated Press.

FORTLAND, Me., Jan. 11.—A Cape Hatteras gale seemed today to have swallowed up Capt. Thomas M. Bram, who 30 years ago was sentenced to be hanged for a triple murder. With him, apparently, had vanished his four-masted schooner, the Alvena, a ship with a history almost as curious as its skipper's.

The gale-laden craft, bound from Jacksonville, Fla., to this port, was last spoken Sunday, when in distress. Since then Coast Guard cutters have failed to find trace of it.

Today old-timers were recalling the man who back in 1896 was convicted at Boston of the murder of Captain Nash of the Barkentine Herbert Fuller. Nash's wife, and his second mate.

They were certain he and the master of the Alvena were one and they spoke in hushed voices of what they saw as the retribution of the sea for one of the most atrocious triple murders in their memory. Little hope they held that schooner or skipper would ever reach this port.

An Old Tragedy of the Sea. In 1896 the Herbert Fuller was bound from Halifax for South America and Bram was a member of the crew. One morning sailors discovered the bodies of the two ship's officers and that of Mrs. Nash. They had been killed with an ax.

Charles Brown, the man at the wheel, was accused by Bram and promptly put in irons. Not long afterward Bram was detected in the act of shooting an officer who had been a deck boy, and he took Brown's place in the ship's hold. The ship was turned about and with flag at half staff and the bodies of the three victims being towed in a small boat, put back to port.

Bram was taken under guard to Boston, where in the same year a Federal Jury convicted him and he was sentenced to be hanged. At a second trial, however, he escaped with a sentence of life imprisonment at Atlanta.

Years later Mary Roberts Rinehart wrote into a novel the story of the murders and, having become interested in the former sailor, she visited him and through her efforts President Taft was persuaded to grant a parole which was later made a pardon by President Wilson.

The freed slayer opened a bar at Atlanta for a time and rumor had it that he had accumulated a small fortune but the lure of the sea was strong and he became interested in the purchase of schooners. The Alvena was one of these. She and her sister ship, the Irene, were known in ports of call on both sides of the Pacific. But steam, electricity and oil doomed them inevitably to the graveyard of ships and for years they rotted in the mud of a West Coast harbor.

In 1925, however, both were raised and refitted and in December of that year they stood out from Aberdeen, Wash., in a handicap race for Miami, Fla., and the building boom. Each carried a cargo of lumber.

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REORGANIZATION
OF ST. PAUL ROAD

New Corporation Author-
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Plan Approved by Court.

By the Associated Press.
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common stock without par value;
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OGDEN, WINNER OF 191 GAMES IN 8 YEARS, OBTAINED BY BROWNS

CATCHER DIXON; BOLEN AND CASH GIVEN FOR STAR

Right Hander, Working for Baltimore Since 1920, Had a Grand Average of .705.

John Ogden, right-hand pitcher, who in eight years as a member of the Baltimore club of the International league, has put over 191 victories against but 50 defeats for a winning percentage of .705 has been obtained by the Browns in a trade which sends Stewart Bolen, pitcher; Leo Dixon, catcher, and cash to the minor league club. The deal was announced last night by Business Manager Bill Friel and was completed in Chicago, Sunday.

Ogden for several years has been regarded as one of the greatest pitchers in the minor leagues. Major league teams have made several offers for him, but Jack Dunn, owner-manager of Baltimore, always refused. Several seasons ago a major league team offered \$100,000 for the star, but it was turned down.

Started Back in 1920.

The right-hander, reported to have good speed and a fine breaking curve, was 27 years of age, started winning regularly in the International league back in 1920. It was a year after he had broken into professional baseball in 1919, he graduated from Swarthmore College and was signed by John McGraw, manager of the Giants. However he was turned over to Rochester. There he failed and was sold to Baltimore for a price reported to be \$1000.

However under Dunn, and with a winning ball club behind him, Ogden immediately developed into a star. He won 27 and lost nine his first campaign. Included in the list of victories was a run of 18 straight. That brought him forcibly to the attention of the big league scouts, but Dunn refused to sign him.

Since that start, Ogden has never had a losing year. His worst came in 1923, when he finished with 17 victories against 11 losses. However, that Ogden can win even though a losing club was evinced the past two years. The Orioles collapsed in 1928, but Ogden in that campaign won 24 and lost 15, while last season his record was 21 con-

tests and 9 defeats.

Won 21 Games in 1921.

Ogden enjoyed his greatest success in 1921, when he finished with 31 victories against but 8 defeats for one of the best records in baseball.

His complete record:

Year.	WON.	LOST.
1920.....	27	9
1921.....	31	8
1922.....	25	16
1923.....	24	12
1924.....	19	6
1925.....	28	11
1926.....	24	15
1927.....	21	9

Thus in six of his eight seasons Ogden has been over the 20 mark in victories. Dan Howley, manager of the Browns, knows all about the right-hander and signed him to his front club faced him several times in 1928, when the Maple Leafs broke the Orioles' run of victories.

With four catchers, all experienced, on the roster, the Browns can spare Dixon, who has been here three years. He was a fine receiver but weak hitter. Bolen was the other Indians during 1927.

Ogden, who was the only one obtained by the Browns during the off season, the other being Sam Gray, who came from the Athletics in a trade for Bing Miller.

PRINCIPIA DEFEATS CLEVELAND FIVE, 30-22

Coach Bert Fenenga's Cleveland High School basketball team showed marked improvement in holding the strong Principia Academy quiet to a 30-22 score at the Howard gymnasium last night. The inexperienced South Side team is still seeking its first victory, however.

Principia led 16 to 9 at the half but Cleveland spurted in the second period in a rally that was cut short by the final whistle. Richardson of the Cadets took high point honors of the evening with 18 markers.

Score:

Principia	Field Foul	Goals	Goals	Fla.
Richardson, R. F.	7	2	19	1
Wesel, R. F.	0	0	0	0
Laughlin, Center	2	1	5	0
Green, Center	2	0	4	1
Wylie, L. G.	0	0	0	0
Towle, L. G.	0	0	0	0
McMahon, L. G.	0	0	0	0
Total	11	8	30	8

CLEVELAND	Field Foul	Goals	Goals	Fla.
Kent, R. F.	2	0	4	1
Wesel, R. F.	0	0	0	0
McLaren, L. F.	2	3	2	0
Cowling, Center	1	4	6	1
Fotheringham, R. G.	0	0	0	0
Bernard, L. G.	0	0	0	0
Total	7	8	22	8

Waitlow Kayne Shoaf.

JEROME, Ariz., Jan. 11.—Allen Waitlow, of Superior, Ariz., knocked out the Wal Shoaf, Memphis, Tenn., lightweight, in the fifth round of a scheduled 16-round bout here last night.

Able to Sit Up



LOREN MURCHISON.

Brownie Hurlers Allowed 740 Earned Runs in 1343 Innings in 1927 Season

Stewart, No. 32, With 4.27 Tallies Permitted in Game Was Best—Moore Paced American Leaguers.

By Herman Wecke.

That the Brownie pitchers, like the batters and fielders of the Dan Howley club of 1927, were just about the poorest lot in the American League, is borne out by the official figures released today. It will be remembered that the team ranked 27th in club batting with .276 and absolutely last in team fielding with .946.

The hurlers just about upheld that standard. Mound men of the American League in 1927, as has been the case for several years, were ranked on the efficiency basis. This showed Walter Stewart, the left-hander from Toronto, as the pacemaker for the St. Louis staff. He yielded 4.27 earned runs nine nine innings and ranked thirty-second in the circuit. Wally Moore, the right-hander from the Yankees, was the leader, permitting 2.23 runs a game. Though he pitched but six complete ball games, the figures show that Moore labored in 213 innings. On 39 occasions during the year, Miller Huggins called him in as a relief worker.

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Top 10 in 30 Full Games.

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Why Browns Finished Seventh

OLLOWING are the official pitching records of all members of the Browns' hill corps during the 1927 season:

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Stewart, No. 32	20	2	2	2	219	62	54	21	6	4	4	3	2	32
Moore, No. 31	20	2	2	2	219	62	54	21	6	4	4	3	2	34
Jones, No. 30	14	0	14	10	199	51	31	11	2	3	2	2	24	
Vangilder, No. 10	12	2	12	10	203	198	4.79	12	14	4	4	47		
Crowder, No. 7	12	2	12	11	201	195	4.73	11	11	6	6	47		
Ballou, No. 5	6	0	6	0	199	48	4.79	6	11	4	4	49		
Never, No. 3	8	0	8	0	195	52	4.92	1	8	6	6	53		
Gaston, No. 13	17	2	17	14	214	141	5.00	21	6	6	6	63		
Wingard, No. 2	13	2	13	11	156	114	6.58	7	11	11	11	63		
Wright, No. 1	0	0	0	12	6	4.50	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Blacholder, No. 0	1	0	1	0	5	5.00	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Falk, No. 1	0	0	0	16	10	5.62	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Beck, No. 1	0	0	0	11	7	5.72	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	
Bolen, No. 0	0	0	0	10	9	9.00	1	2	1	2	1	2	1	
Totals	59	5	59	32	1343	740	4.95	77	11	11	11	11	11	11

*No league rank because of pitching insufficient innings.

4.56 just a fraction under 5 tallies in each contest. The Browns played 153 games last season and the other show that in more than half of 73 to be exact, Howley was forced to send out the SOS for a relief man.

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Lyons, Chicago	39	32	22	14	211	308	1161	291	125	97	24	0	71	1
Shuster, St. Louis	39	32	22	14	211	308	1161	291	125	97	24	0	84	1
Hodgson, Washington	30	14	6	0	199	724	177	110	102	49	94	107	0	97
Wright, Chicago	24	10	4	6	199	724</td								

TUNNEY ONE OF GREATEST CHAMPIONS, SAYS RICKARD

PROMOTER MAKES PUBLIC ANNUAL BOXING RANKINGS

Title Holders in All Classes With Exception of Junior Welterweight Are Placed at Top.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—For the fourth successive year, Tex Rickard lined up the rank and file of pugilists for "The Ring," a boxing publication, and at the head of the parade set Gene Tunney.

All recognized champions lead their classes, including the somewhat obscure junior welterweight section, where Ruby Goldstein gains top position over Murry Callahan, hailed as champion of the 140-pound class.

In all but the heavyweight class, the promoter split the divisions into two groups, only the first of which were ranked numerically. Among the ponderous fighters, Rickard set Tunney first, Jack Dempsey second and Jack Sharkey third, before dividing the remainder of the heavyweights into two groups.

Rickard deplored the lack of outstanding foreign contenders in a copyrighted article accompanying the selections. He declared Gene Tunney the "big sensation of last year, as he was the shining light of 1926."

Tunney Great Champion.

"There is no denying that Tunney is not only a champion but a great champion," he said. "I believe that he is one of the greatest champions the class has seen. Any man who saw Dempsey make the most desperate effort of his entire career and send Tunney down—and then saw Tunney come out of this crisis and fight back until he hurt his man, must admit that in Gene Tunney the American ring has developed another outstanding exponent of science."

He gameness and sportsmanship. In the lighter of the divisions, whose accession has been the subject of controversy since the recognized champions voluntarily relinquished their purple robes, Rickard ranked Tony Canzoneri at the head of the featherweights, Bud Taylor at the top of the bantamweight division, and gave the flyweight palm to Corp. Izzy Schwartz.

Basing his judgment entirely on performances during the entire year, Rickard also had the late Tiger Flowers just back of Mickey Walker, middleweight champion. Sgt. Sammy Baker gained the edge over Ace Hudkins for second place in the welterweight standing behind Joe Dundee, the titleholder.

THE RANKINGS.

HEAVYWEIGHT DIVISION. (Group 1)

1—Gene Tunney, New York. 2—Jack Dempsey, Los Angeles. 3—Jack Sharkey, Boston.

Group 2—Tom Heeney, New Zealand. 4—Kid Gleason, Cleveland. 5—Paulino Uzcudun, Spain; Jack Delaney, Bridgeport; Vito Campano, Argentina.

Group 3—George Godfrey, Philadelphia; Knute Hansen, Racine, Wis.; Jack Dovral, Canada; Jack Renault, Canada; Arthur de Kuh, New York; Phil Scott, England; George Cook, Australia.

LIGHT-HEAVYWEIGHT DIVISION.

1—Tommy Loughran, Philadelphia. 2—Lee Louis, Aberdeen, Wash. 3—Jimmy Slattery, Buffalo. 4—Mike McGuire, New York City.

Middleweight Division.

1—Mickey Walker, Elizabeth, N. J. 2—Tiger Flowers, Camille, Ga. 3—Dave Shade, New York. 4—George Courtney, Oklahoma. 5—Jack McVey, New York. 6—Maxie Rosenbloom, New York.

Welterweight Division.

1—Kid Gleason, New York. 2—Mushy Callahan, San Francisco. 3—Andy Divoli, New York. 4—Jackie Fields, Los Angeles. 5—Sammy Vogel, New York.

Lightweight Division.

1—Sammy Mandell, Rockford, Ill. 2—Jimmy McLarlin, California. 3—Sidney Tamm, New York. 4—Billy Wallace, Cleveland. 5—Bruce Flowers, New Rochelle.

Junior Lightweight Division.

1—Tom Morgan, Seattle. 2—Honey Boy Finnegan, Boston. 3—Joe Glick, New York. 4—Mike Dundee, Rock Island, Ill.

Featherweight Division.

1—Tony Canzoneri, New York. 2—Benny Bass, Philadelphia. 3—Joey Sangor, Chicago. 4—Andy Martin, Boston. 5—Red Chapman, Boston.

Bantamweight Division.

1—Bud Taylor, New Haven. 2—Kid Francis, Italy. 3—Archibell, New York. 4—Al Brown, New York. 5—Willie Smith, South Africa. 6—Teddy Ballock, England.

Flyweight Division.

1—Corporal Izzy Schwartz, New York. 2—Frenchy Belanger, Toronto. 3—Speery Dado, California. 4—Johnny Hill, England.

Anderson Dexters Dixon.

By the Associated Press.

PORLAND, Ore., Jan. 11.—Joe Anderson, Corvallis, Ky., middleweight won a decision over George Dixon, Portland Negro, twice last night.

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By James W. Coffroth.

IT WASN'T until 1903 that I began promoting fights "on my own" and not until two years later did I devote myself exclusively to that business.

In 1901, when the first show I ever had anything to do with, was fought on a percentage basis.

Of course, at that time when the boys used to get an idea that they deserved about 95 per cent. But those instances were rare. Most of the time I gave the fighters 60 per cent of the gross. For star bouts I'd turn over 65 per cent to the fighters and, on some occasions, I gave them 70 per cent.

The fighters then agreed between themselves as to how the purse was to be cut. Usually it was 60 per cent to the winner and 40 per cent to the loser. Other times it was 75-25, occasionally 90-10 and when ever it was 100-0, the fighters agreed that the winner gets to get it all—the loser was to receive nothing but a beating.

Those were FIGHTIN' DAYS. Receipts Set New Record.

IN 1902, put on a world's championship between Jim Corbett and Jim Jeffries, which established a new world record in the matter of gate receipts.

The total was \$62,340.

I had beaten the gate between Tom Sharkey and Jim Jeffries, made a few years before at Coney Island, and which was around \$62,000.

Corbett and Jeff fought on a 65 per cent basis, which they agreed to split 75 per cent to the winner and 25 to the loser. The fighters' purse, therefore, amounted to \$41,171, of which Jeff got about \$31,000 and Corbett about \$10,000.

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Woman Killed by Mexican Robbers.
By the Associated Press.
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Margaret Winter, wife of a German bookkeeper of Mexico City, was

slain and her year-old baby thrown on the floor and trampled by robbers when she attempted to prevent the robbery of her home at Coyscan, a few miles south of Mexico City. Monday night.

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Greenup (Ky.) Man Also Accuses
Woman of Mistraining Child;
Both Are Held.

By the Associated Press.

WINCHESTER, Ky., Jan. 11.—Mary Magdalene Pitts 3 years old, whose death after alleged torture Dec. 29 is being investigated by Greenup County authorities, was poisoned Dec. 29 by Mrs. Mary Frazier, her housekeeper. Robert Herman Pitts, the child's father, told officers here yesterday. Pitts and Mrs. Frazier are in jail here, charged with murder. Pitts said Mrs. Frazier had mistreated the child at various times.

"The night before Mary Magdalene died," Pitts said, "my oldest daughter, Nancy Evelyn, 10, told me that Mary (the housekeeper) had given her poison. I asked Mary about it and she said she had given her sugar and pepper for a cold. When I came home from work the next day the baby was dead."

Mrs. Frazier says Pitts told her several times he had escaped from a jail or a penitentiary. While denying any conspiracy to kill the child, Mrs. Frazier said that several times Pitts told her he "wasn't afraid of the law in Greenup County," but "afraid to kill Mary because they might find him out and he was wanted anyway."

Pitts admitted he had been in jail. Police said he served a jail term in Richmond, Ky., about seven years ago on a liquor charge.

HEADS Missouri Police Chiefs.
Chief of Police Maloney of Richmond Heights has been elected president of the Police Chiefs' Association of Missouri. He succeeds Andrew McDonnell of Webster Groves.

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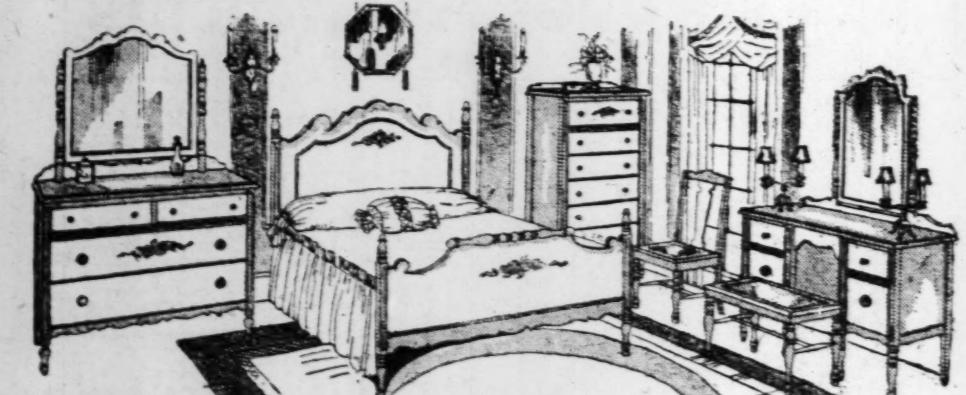
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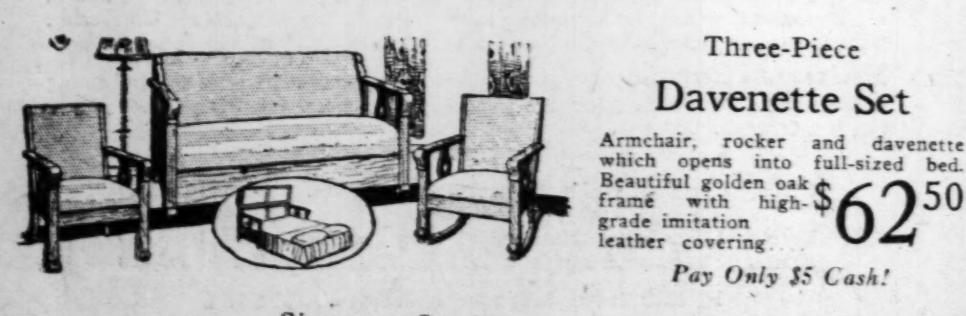


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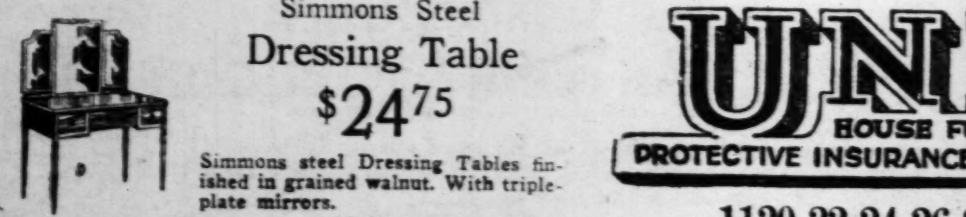
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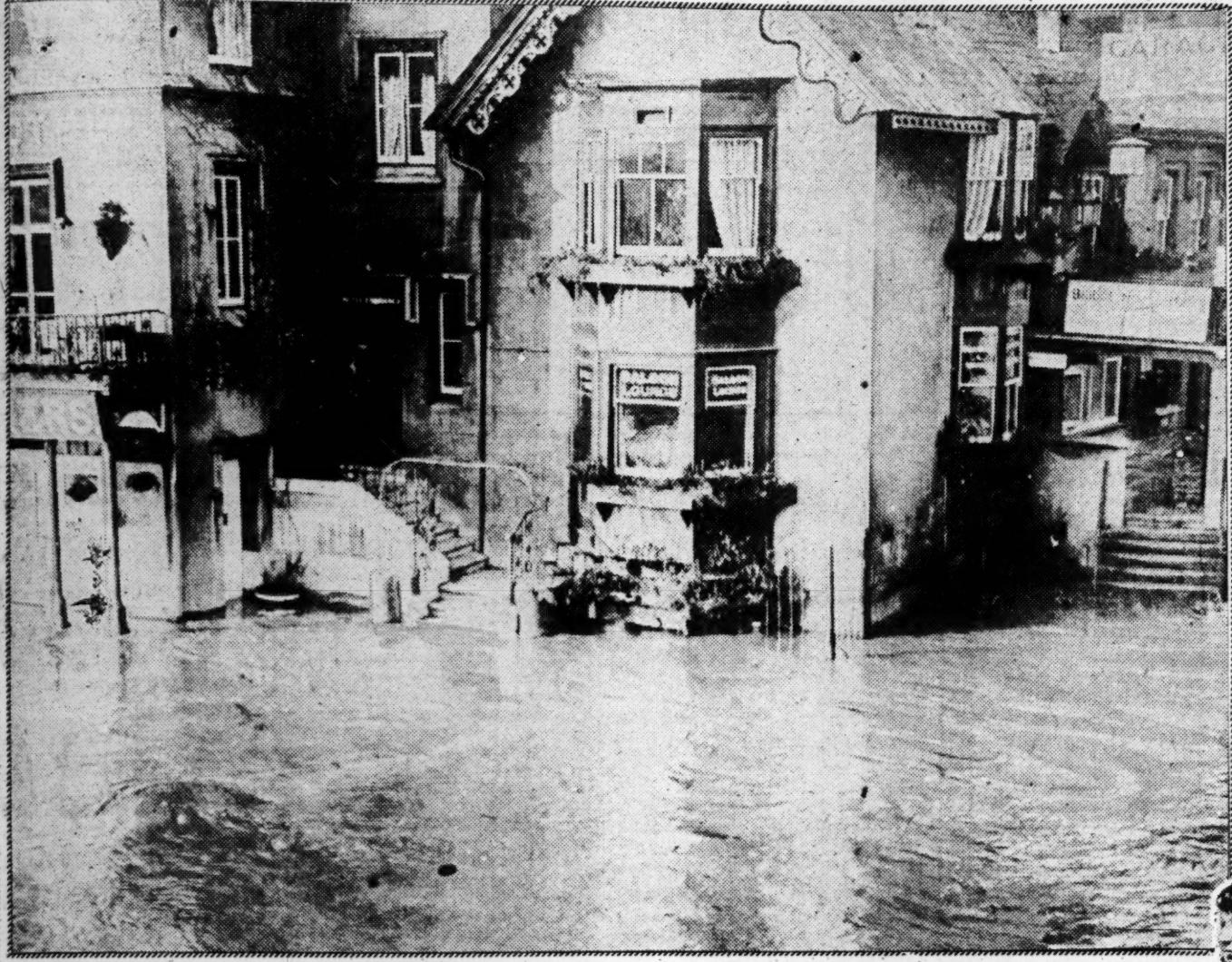
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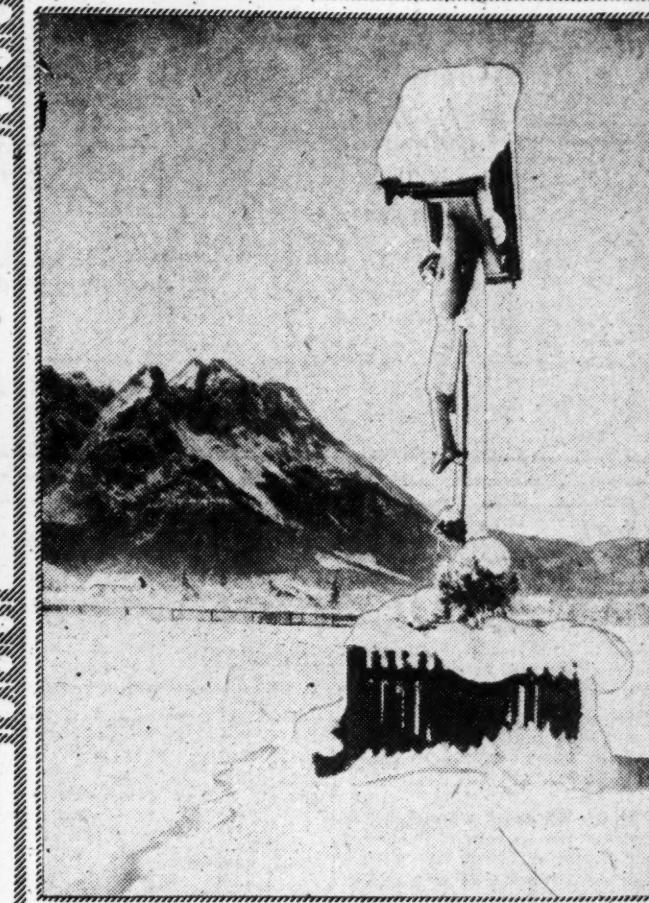
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THE GREAT FLOOD IN LONDON



A street in the Westminster district of the city before the rising waters of the Thames had reached their highest stage which caused 20 deaths and great property damage. —International photo.

A WAYSIDE SHRINE



An impressive figure in the Bavarian Alps. —International photo.

A PRETTY LEAP



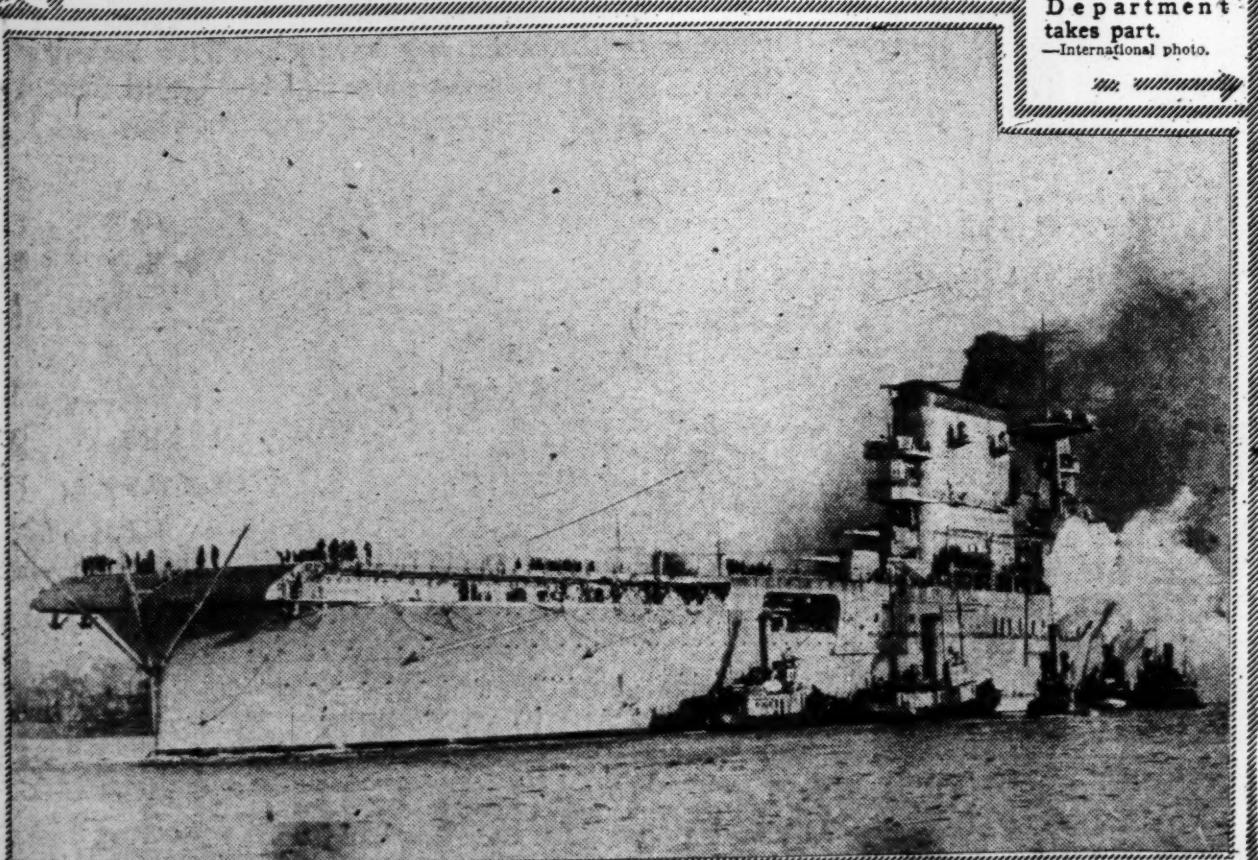
A ski jumper in action at the Swiss winter resort near St. Moritz. —Acme photo.

FOR A FAR NORTH FLIGHT



Capt. Charles H. Wilkins in Los Angeles fitting runners upon his airplane which he will use in a scientific exploration amid the snow and ice of the Arctic regions. —International photo.

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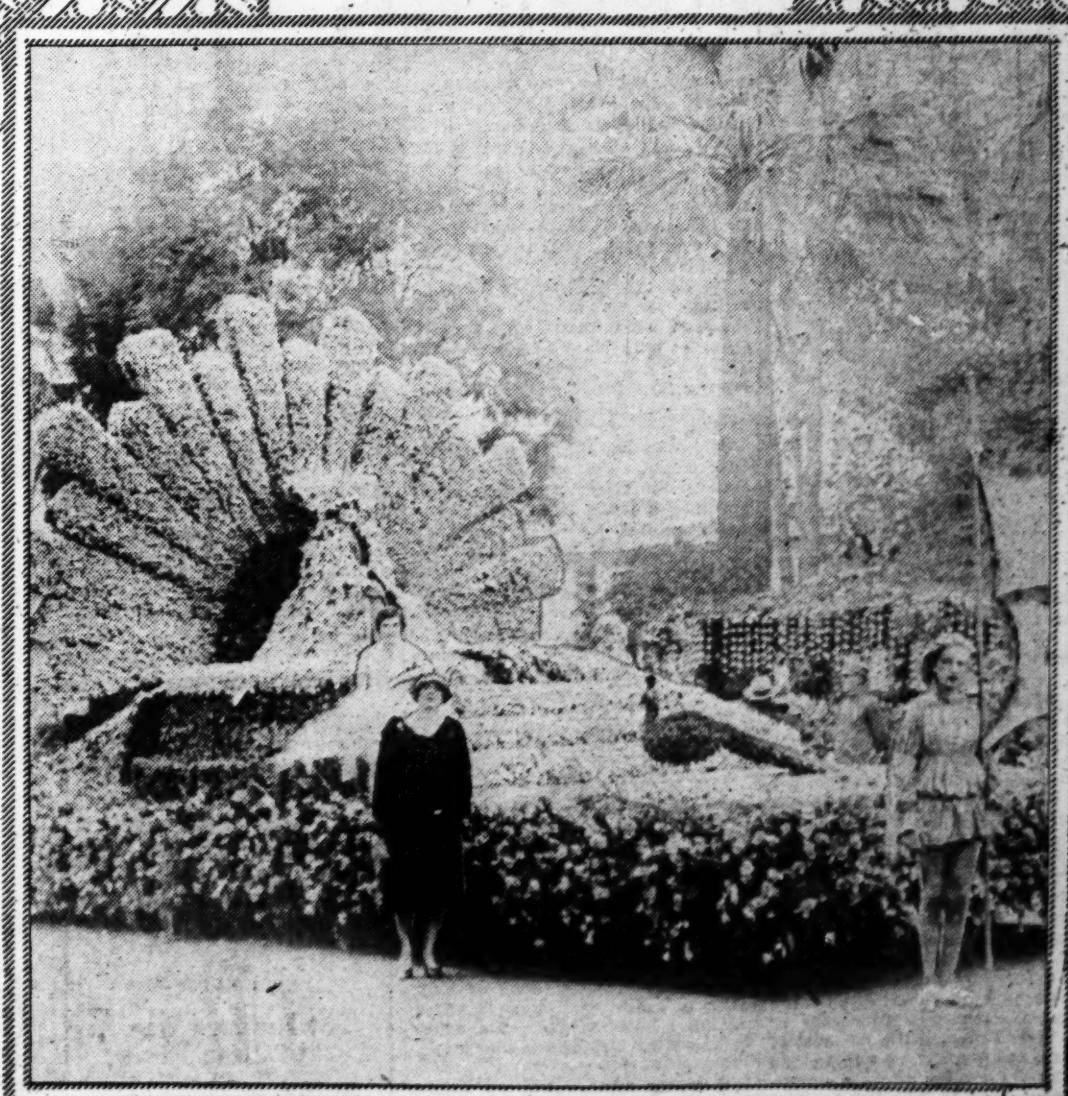


The U. S. S. Lexington, with her queer-looking flat deck and smokestack on one side, leaves the shipyards at Quincy, Mass., on a trip to Boston. —Wide World photo.

James Clement Dunn, selected as social arbiter of the State Department in Washington. He will say who goes first and who comes after at the functions in which the Department takes part. —International photo.



THE PRIZE WINNER



The float, entered by the City of Beverly Hills, which won the award as being the most beautiful in Tournament of Roses parade at Pasadena, Cal. —Wide World photo.

BRIDGE As Played By Experts

Details of Game Broadcast
Last Night Over the
Radio Chain.

In the eleventh of the series of Radio Bridge Games, broadcast last night from Station KSD, Mr. Work and Mr. Whitehead had for their opponents Mr. Walter F. Wyman of Arlington, Mass., and Mr. E. Denison of Portland, Me., a well-known player and writer on Bridge.

Mr. Wyman, dealer, South, held:

Spades, 8, 5; Hearts, A, K, 10,

8, 2; Diamonds, 6, 5; Clubs, 7,

9.

Mr. Work, West, held:

Spades, Q, 10, 6, 2; Hearts, Q, 5; Diamonds,

K, 9, 8, 4; Clubs, 7, 6.

Mr. Whitehead, North, held:

Spades, 9, 6, 3; Diamonds, A, Q,

7, 2; Clubs, A, 5, 5, 4.

Mr. Whitehead, East, held:

Spades, A, K, J, 7, 4; Hearts, J,

7, 4; Diamonds, J, 10; Clubs, 7,

8.

Mr. Wyman, the dealer, bid one

Heart, a sound declaration based

on his five-card Heart suit con-

taining two quick tricks. Mr. Work

passed.

Mr. Denison also passed. Had he been the Dealer, he had Dealer and Second Hand passed. Mr. Denison would have bid a Diamond. But the same strength that would have permitted him to bid Diamonds would also support his partners easier game-going bid of Hearts. Had he bid but two small Hearts Mr. Denison would have denied normal support for Hearts by a bid of two Diamonds.

Mr. Whitehead, of course, bid one Spade, as his hand was strong enough even for an initial Spade bid.

Mr. Wyman passed, as he had already bid the full strength of his hand. Mr. Work passed. Mr. Denison bid two Diamonds. This bid, after his original pass of his partner's Heart bid, told his partner, three things: First, that he had exactly three Hearts; otherwise he would have denied normal support for Hearts by a bid of two Diamonds.

Second, that he had no more than three Hearts; otherwise he would have assisted the Heart bid on the second round instead of naming Diamonds. Third, that he held a sound Diamond bid. By this Diamond bid Mr. Denison also invited his partner to continue with Hearts if his holding warranted his doing so with but three Hearts in Mr. Denison's hand.

A bid of this kind is called a "doubleton." Mr. Whitehead passed, as he lacked the necessary values for a rebid.

Mr. Wyman read Mr. Denison's bid correctly, but as he held five Hearts he returned to that suit, bidding two Hearts. Mr. Work went to two Spades, a sound assist based upon values held. Mr. Denison bid three Hearts. Since he had been assisted by his partner as to the Heart situation his side tricks called for strong Heart support. Mr. Whitehead passed. Notwithstanding his partner's assist his holding did not warrant further bidding.

Mr. Wyman passed. Mr. Work bid three Spades, a slight overbid possibly, but one which was not liable to produce a material loss. Mr. Denison bid four Hearts. His side tricks in Diamonds and Clubs and his singleton in the Spade suit advised his bid, in connection with his partner's assurance regarding Hearts, more than justified this second assist.

Mr. Whitehead, Mr. Wyman and Mr. Work passed; therefore Mr. Wyman became the Dealer with his contract four Hearts.

Mr. Work, the initial leader, opened with the Queen of Spades. Dummy went down and Mr. Wyman played it from the singleton 9 of Spades. Mr. Whitehead played his King of Spades so as to obtain the lead to lead trumps up to weakness in the King. Mr. Wyman played the 2.

Mr. Wyman continued with the Jack of Clubs; Mr. Work covered with the Queen; Dummy played the Ace; Mr. Whitehead the 3. Dummy returned the 5 of Clubs; Mr. Whitehead played the 7; Dealer the 10; Mr. Work won with the King.

Mr. Work led the Queen of Hearts, to remove another of Dummy's trumps; Dummy played the 10; Mr. Whitehead the 7; Dealer the Ace.

Mr. Wyman next led the 6 of Diamonds; Mr. Work played the 4; Dummy finessed the Queen; and Mr. Whitehead played the 10. Dummy returned the Ace of Diamonds; Mr. Whitehead played the Jack; Dealer the 5; and Mr. Work the 8. Dummy continued with the 8 of Clubs; Mr. Whitehead, holding the high trump, good at any time for a trick, passed; discarding the 4 of Spades. Mr. Wyman discarded the 5 of Spades and Mr. Work the 6 of Spades.

Dummy led the 2 of Diamonds; Mr. Whitehead discarded the 7 of Spades; Mr. Wyman trumped with the 2 of Hearts; and Mr. Work played the 9 of Diamonds.

Mr. Wyman then led his losing 8 of Spades; Mr. Work played the 10; Dummy trumped with the 9 of Hearts; Mr. Whitehead played the Jack of Spades.

Dummy returned the 3 of Diamonds; Mr. Whitehead discarded the 4 of Spades; Mr. Wyman trumped with the 8 of Hearts; Mr. Work played the King of Diamonds. The final trick, of course, was won by Mr. Whitehead's Jack of Hearts.

Mr. Wyman, the Dealer, took four tricks, giving him game in Hearts. He scored 32 trick points and 20 for three honors.

In commenting on Mr. Wyman's skill, Mr. Work stated that it is the play of the hand of this type that is most confusing to the average player, as it requires not only considerable experience but also considerable perspective to determine the correct procedure.

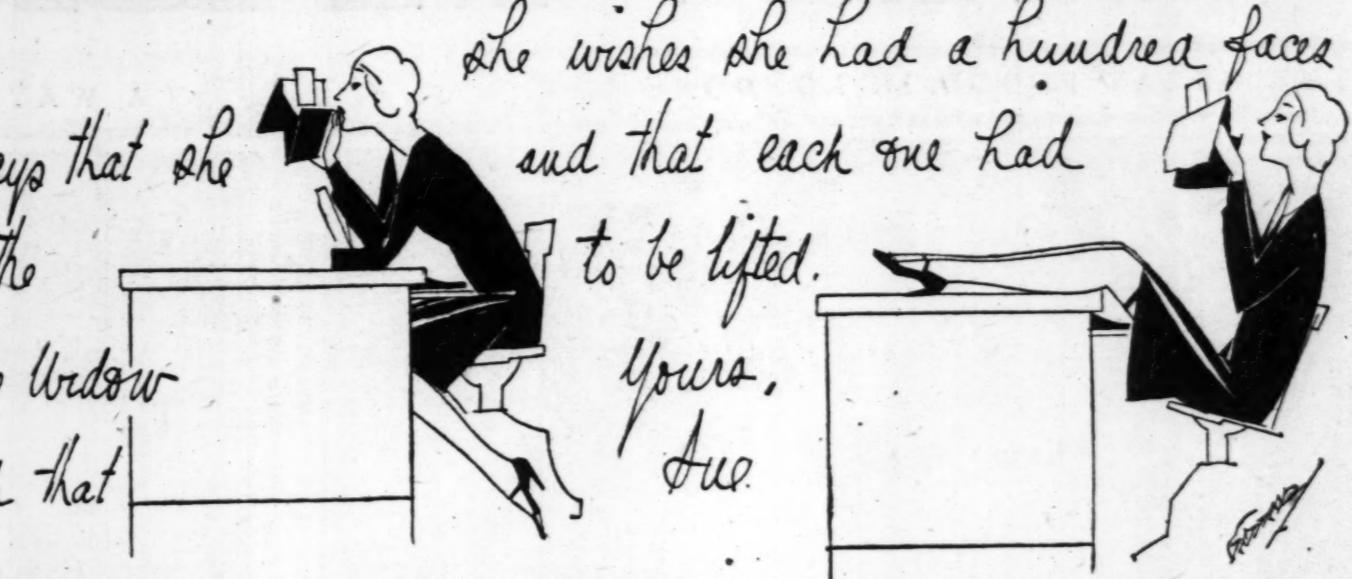
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Why Not Add a Few Freckles?



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"The Old Virginia Cook Book"

Clams—Scalloped.

THERE about 18 clams and chop them up fine with $\frac{1}{2}$ an onion. Then add 4 hard-boiled eggs cut into small pieces. Now take 2 cups of stale bread crumbs, mix with enough milk to make them very soft, and add to the clams. Also add 2 tablespoonsful of melted butter. Mix well and season with pepper and salt. Put in a buttered baking dish, cover with bread crumbs and dot with small pieces of butter. Bake in a moderate oven for about $\frac{1}{2}$ of an hour.

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he could establish a long Club on which to discard one of his losing Spades. As his remaining Spades could be trumped without embarrassment, this play, if successful, would give him the number of tricks necessary for game, in case the high cards lay as he assumed.

Mr. Wyman therefore led the 9 of Spades as the initial step towards the establishment of the Club suit. Mr. Work played low, the 6 of Clubs, in the hope that his partner held the Jack or 10, which could win the trick if Dummy's Ace were not played. If Mr. Whitehead held neither Jack nor 10, then Mr. Wyman must hold them; therefore Mr. Work risked no danger of loss by not playing his Queen or King. Dummy ducked with the 4 of Clubs; Mr. Whitehead played the 2.

Mr. Wyman continued with the Jack of Clubs; Mr. Work covered with the Queen; Dummy played the Ace; Mr. Whitehead the 3. Dummy returned the 5 of Clubs; Mr. Whitehead played the 7; Dealer the 10; Mr. Work won with the King.

Mr. Work led the Queen of Hearts, to remove another of Dummy's trumps; Dummy played the 10; Mr. Whitehead the 7; Dealer the Ace.

Mr. Wyman next led the 6 of Diamonds; Mr. Work played the 4; Dummy finessed the Queen; and Mr. Whitehead played the 10. Dummy returned the Ace of Diamonds; Mr. Whitehead played the Jack; Dealer the 5; and Mr. Work the 8. Dummy continued with the 8 of Clubs; Mr. Whitehead, holding the high trump, good at any time for a trick, passed; discarding the 4 of Spades. Mr. Wyman discarded the 5 of Spades and Mr. Work the 6 of Spades.

Dummy led the 2 of Diamonds; Mr. Whitehead discarded the 7 of Spades; Mr. Wyman trumped with the 2 of Hearts; and Mr. Work played the 9 of Diamonds.

Mr. Wyman then led his losing 8 of Spades; Mr. Work played the 10; Dummy trumped with the 9 of Hearts; Mr. Whitehead played the Jack of Spades.

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An inventor has given a salt shaker a cover mounted on a sliding rod that moves to permit salt to be obtained when the shaker is tilted.

For cutting fresh bread or light cake a knife has been invented having a slotted blade; the edges of the slots also being sharpened.

A water motor operates a new iceless cooling machine for household refrigerators.

Having a frame of metal tubing, a new armchair folds flat for storage.

What Some of the Notables Of New York Are Wearing

By Belle Brummel.

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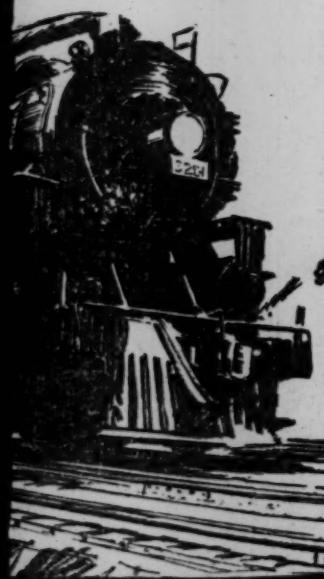
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THIS MODERN WORLD

By Neal O'Hara.

ON THE AIR TONIGHT.

D ON'T miss this ideal program of music and noises on your loud speaker today and tonight:

3:20—Beauty talk. How to eradicate a mole on your cheek by calling it a beauty spot.

3:30—Public utilities lecture. Abraham Lincoln studied by candle light and grew up to be President. Your chances are better than his. You can study by gas or electric light.

3:40—Address. Why people look up to me. By a window washer.

3:55—Daily chat on toilette. Hairpins are very uncomfortable when your sweetie's wife finds them on the floor of his sedan.

4:15—Golf lesson. How to make a hole in one. By a doughnut chef.

4:35—Business lecture. How I made the installment plan possible. By the inventor of dotted lines.

4:50—High life in Topeka, Kan. Listening for the pop when grandpa puts his cork leg off.

5:10—Confessions of a bride. I have only been married a year and it seems like a year.

5:30—Chicago mortality statistics. Last week 1106 beer runners died of lead poisoning in the heart, head and legs.

5:45—Fashion hints. The ideal place for a girl's garters is six inches below the hem of the skirt—i. e., three inches above the knee.

6:00—Health talk. Look for the film on your teeth. Some people have seven-reel features on their molars. Others are only troubled with short-reel features.

6:25—Statistics. The seven richest women in the world are Peggy Joyce and the Floradora sextet.

6:40—Closing prices on antique roast chestnuts with genuine wormholes.

7:00—Address. How to set the world on fire. By the President of the Arson Trust.

7:20—Economy lecture. Every woman should own a pair of trained silkworms and raise her own hairnets.

7:35—Ku Klux business talk. How to become a 100 per cent, American, with 5 per cent off for cash.

7:55—Talk on brotherly love, by Jack Kearns, entitled, "I still have an attachment for Jack Dempsey."

8:10—Lesson in movie acting. How to register fear, hate and flannel underwear.

8:30—Health lecture. Garlic eating is very healthy. Next to snoring it is most effective for sleeping alone.

8:50—Thrift talk by John D. Rockefeller. What's the use of endowing universities with a million dollars, when I get more publicity distributing dimes?

9:15—Vocational chat by a famous chorus girl. How I earn \$50 a week doing and wearing nothing.

9:35—Success talk. In 1925 I was employed in a soup kitchen. Today I am a guard at the Matteawan Asylum. Thus in two years I have progressed from soup to nuts.

10:05—Surgical lecture by Harvard faculty. How to split an infinitive without causing pain.

10:20—Review of last week's weather. By courtesy of Eureka Corduroy Pants Company.

10:45—Home hints by Gilda Grey. How to shake a cocktail with your hips.

11:00—Good night: Did you wind the clock?

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Children's Bedtime Story

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Speckles the Starling Is Talked About.

Gossip mixes truth and fiction;
The result is always friction.

—Old Mother Nature.

THAT is the trouble with gossip. It would be bad enough if it stuck to the truth when the truth is bad, but when it includes fiction, telling things that aren't so, there is bound to be trouble sooner or later. There is only one safe way to gossip and that is to listen and say nothing.

Speckles the Starling had been living in the Old Orchard, or near it, for a long time. He never had been "welcome" among the other birds. None liked him. He was as unpopular as Bull the English Sparrow. All his feathered neighbors resented his presence there. It was because they all knew that Speckles the Starling doesn't belong in this country any more than does Bull the English Sparrow. It had been the last straw. If ever none would have admitted it, he was an outsider and he wasn't wanted, and that was all there was to it.

You can guess that when they talked him over it was mostly to say unpleasant things about him. "Did you ever see such a pig?" said Sammy Jay, as they watched Speckles gobbling bits of bread which Mother Brown had thrown out.

"He may be a pig while he's eating," said Yank Yank, "but I wish you'd tell me one other good thing about Speckles the Starling. What good does he do?" Now, to speak of a bird without long picking off insects, eggs and killing the grubs on Farmer Brown's trees. We are the best friends Farmer Brown and Farmer Brown's Boy have. Yet Speckles the Starling tries to drive us out of the Old Orchard. Do you see any good in that?"

"Huh!" exclaimed Chatterer the Red Squirrel.



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Concerning Coffee

Keep the coffee tightly sealed in a glass container.

Don't guess at amounts when making coffee. Measure both water and coffee carefully.

Keep the coffee pot absolutely clean and free from coffee deposits. Wash it carefully after each meal.

Do not buy so much coffee at a time that it stands ground for a long while or it will lose its strength.

Buy a good grade of coffee. It is economy in the long run, because it goes further and is easy on the digestion.

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Fictitious Mishaps Are Staged by Cunning Crooks to Collect Damages From Owners and Insurance Companies.

By James P. Wilkinson.
Assistant United States Attorney
at New York.

(As told to Prosper Buranelli.)

SUPPOSE it happened to you. That is a favorite surmise when almost anything occurs. Well, suppose you were made the subject for a fake accident. That is quite possible. The fake accident game is running overtime now, and the bands of swindlers are loose to use nearly anyone as a target. Automobile drivers and owners are the favorite game, but fraudulent accident and false injury may take the most trickish and ingenious forms, and may befall in unexpected places.

The matter is brought to prominent notice by the recent prosecution in the Federal Court in Brooklyn of the Nitberg-Kaye gang, one of the biggest, boldest and cleverest rings of fraudulent accident crooks on record. As Assistant United States Attorney for the Eastern District of New York, I was in charge of the Government's case.

The band was large and well informed. Among the accused were two doctors and two lawyers. We got 10 convictions with prison sentences of varying length. This rascally outfit had been operating for less than three years, but in that time had taken something like a quarter of a million dollars. It had its share in running up the yearly total of \$5,000,000 that goes to pay for fictitious accidents, and no trivial part in keeping the accident insurance premiums as high as they are.

Suppose it did happen to you, and a false accident was arranged and you blamed for the fraudulent damage. What could you do? You most likely wouldn't have any idea you were being framed unless you knew the kind of tricks that are being played. So, here's telling you, as a first point of information, I can't think of any better way than to relate something of the operations of the gang we have just convicted. A list of their dodges and devices makes a highly readable text-book of accident swindling.

The gang would station a man at a point along a highway, where he would note down the numbers of prosperous-looking automobiles that passed. Soon after these vehicles were reported, each letter from a lawyer, something like this:

"Mr. Smith: Your car hit the car of my client, Mr. So and So, place and time being such and such. Damages demanded."

The damages would consist of fake garage charges, nor would the element of personal injury be excluded, even if this latter consisted of nothing more than a shaking up, right and a oush shock, especially on the part of the supposed lady in the imagined mishap—she, if it were necessary to produce her, a member of the gang.

The physicians would be asked that there must be some mistake, that while his car passed the place stated at the time stated, no such accident had taken place. The affair would presently find its way to the insurance company. The insurance people might surmise Mr. Smith's denial of the accident was to be laid to the desire of somebody not to seem at fault. Anyway, it might be cheaper to pay the claim than to go to court. And a crooked deal would be neatly put over.

The astounded Mr. Smith would realize that there must be some mistake, that while his car had done the hitting. Bits of skillful driving were needed for this sort of thing, but the boys were skillful. The screams and postures of the victims injured in the swindlers' car when the crash took place needed artistic acting, but the boys were good stage managers.

One of their most brilliant conceptions was achieved when they conducted a series of accidents among themselves. They had sidewinders and collisions, and in dramatic fashion matched up each other's cars. Between the garage bills and the injuries, a neat penny was turned.

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to the insurance company with which he had a policy. The company refused to pay. The case went to court, and the lawyer's mother got a verdict from the jury. The company paid.

The common occurrence of pedestrains struck by automobiles was not one to be ignored by such ingenuous gangsters. Often they would pretend to be the lawyer's unfortunate client, who never had been near the car against which the complaint was made, had been hit and knocked down, with the implication that the driver was one of the hit-and-run confraternity. With that ugly inference, and the absence of the two teeth, what more convincing injury could be wanted?

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By William Slavens McNutt.

NORA studied him closely. She had become strongly interested in the rough-hewn young Irishman during her three-week visit of the work with her father. She was not sure whether she liked him or not. At times it irritated her. To every one else, he was either masterful or insolent. Before her he was doggedly humble. She was alternately possessed of the desire to hurt him and to run her fingers caressingly through his aggressively curly, tousled hair.

"If you're afraid to spare time to accompany me on an account of father, I can reassure you," she said coldly. "I'm quite sure he wouldn't dismiss any employee for being popular to me."

"I ain't worryin' about that," Larry said with a flash of resentment. "It's just the—it's just—" He halted, searching for words to express what amounted to a soldier's loyalty to his country, a football player's loyalty to his college, a martyr's devotion to his cause.

"It's the job," he muttered at length, with lame inadequacy. "It's—the job."

She stared at him, only partially comprehending, and suddenly the bothersome, uncontrollable instinct that shaped her attitude when she was with Gaynor moved her to be pleasantly coquettish.

"I resign temporarily in favor of your beloved old job," she said, laughing. "But I'm going to claim first place this evening. You're coming to the dance, aren't you?"

"Do—do you want me?" Larry dared hungrily.

Nora smiled saucily. "Perhaps I do."

"Then I'll be there," Larry assured her earnestly.

"I'll expect you," Nora called back as she started away. "Last chance, young man. If you're not there, I'll know that your old job is just an old job."

Encouraged, his soul in his eye, Gaynor watched her walk away, and out of the tail of one eye glimped a workman standing idle.

"You, down there, paralyzed?" he yelled, scrambling down from the trestle in the direction of the offending laborer. "You wall-eyed squarehead, you! Do a little somethin' besides draw your pay check!"

Nolan, the night watchman, entered Larry's shack while the latter was dressing for the evening trip to town.

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Dante and Beatrice (III)



"They're hard-rock men an' handy with the dynamite. Nolan says he knows them for a bad bunch. May be he better stay on the job to-night an'—"

"We!" Hobart repeated with amused sarcasm. "Speak for yourself, Larry. I didn't fire the men. If you want to stay here and play watch-dog—"

"But they might get the job, an'—"

"They won't do anything but talk rude," Hobart laughed. "They do no. Don't be an old woman, Larry. Are you comin'?"

"I'm quite sure he wouldn't dismiss any employee for being popular to me."

"I ain't worryin' about that," Larry said with a flash of resentment. "It's just the—it's just—" He halted, searching for words to express what amounted to a soldier's loyalty to his country, a football player's loyalty to his college, a martyr's devotion to his cause.

"It's the job," he muttered at length, with lame inadequacy. "It's—the job."

She stared at him, only partially comprehending, and suddenly the bothersome, uncontrollable instinct that shaped her attitude when she was with Gaynor moved her to be pleasantly coquettish.

"I resign temporarily in favor of your beloved old job," she said, laughing. "But I'm going to claim first place this evening. You're coming to the dance, aren't you?"

"Do—do you want me?" Larry dared hungrily.

Nora smiled saucily. "Perhaps I do."

"Then I'll be there," Larry assured her earnestly.

"I'll expect you," Nora called back as she started away. "Last chance, young man. If you're not there, I'll know that your old job is just an old job."

Encouraged, his soul in his eye, Gaynor watched her walk away, and out of the tail of one eye glimped a workman standing idle.

"You, down there, paralyzed?" he yelled, scrambling down from the trestle in the direction of the offending laborer. "You wall-eyed squarehead, you! Do a little somethin' besides draw your pay check!"

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Dante was a popular young man, with many friends. He painted, played the harp, recited his poems, and most loved to play the pretty women of Florence much as did the other gallants of the day. But he grew so thin and pale from the ardor of his unrequited love that his friends began to wonder who had ensnared him.

Soon everybody was talking of Dante's infatuation for Beatrice. Occasionally the two saw each other, but they never met. Once at church Dante purposely gazed raptly at another woman, hoping thus to protect Beatrice from any suggestion of gossip by making people think he was interested in somebody else.

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be back the inertia of injury that held him helpless, and more. He felt an arm on his neck, turned his head, and his teeth vibrated into the flesh of it. He was conscious of the blows that rained on him as he struggled. He was on his knees; he was gaining his feet. Dimly he marked the burning fuse and started toward it. A voice cried: "Run! It's almost to the dim, far borderland of life and death."

"The mill!" he gasped. "The mill is all right, my boy," old Mart assured him with a queer choke in his voice. "The job is done, an' it was done on time."

"Done!" Larry whispered. "Oh, I see. I been sick a long time."

"For five weeks you've been layin' there, out of your head

you're all right now. You're going to get well."

Larry looked up at her with misery-haunted eyes.

"I couldn't get away," he murmured. "I wanted to come, but I couldn't get away from the job."

Tears gushed from Nora's eyes.

She knelt and pressed her cheek to his.

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cup sour milk, in which one teaspoon soda has been dissolved, one tablespoon butter, two tablespoons cocoa, one and one-half cups flour, one teaspoon vanilla. Bake from 15 to 20 minutes. The following icing may be used: Cream two tablespoons butter with one cup confectioner's sugar. Thin with rich cream to spreading consistency. Flavor with vanilla.

Nora's plan was to let you be my son-in-law," old Mart said gruffly. "Now that you have your senses back, I don't mind tellin' you I'll do as far as I'm concerned. I'll leave you to fight it out with her."

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Devil's Food Cupcakes.

These are nice little cakes to

have in the house over the week-end. One cup brown sugar, one

cup flour, one and one-half cups

chocolate chips, one and one-half cups

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